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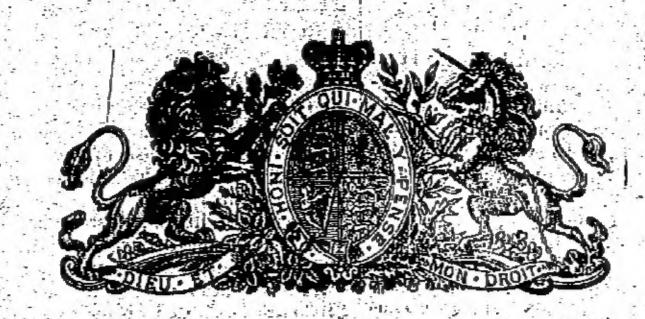
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Longkong, January 17, 1868.

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Long Cloth SHIRTS Silk, Cotton, Merino and Lambswool DRAWERS and UNDERSHIRTS. Silk, Cotton, Merino and Lambswool Lange Cotton and Merino STOCK-

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Ladies Trimmed Hats and Bonnets. Flowers. Feathers, Wreaths, etc. MANTLES and JACKETS of the newest designs and materials The Milinery and Dress Making Departments are under the management of two experienced West End assistants. The Tailoring Department is now well supplied with everydescription of Cloth, for Autumn Wear, including Blue, Black

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FOR SALE.

150 CASES Martinez Aromatic BIT-100 cases SHERRY. 100 PORT. MULLER & CLAUSSEN.

Hongkong, January 13, 1868,

TO LET. O. 3, PECHILI TERRACE, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will hold A Horse and Carriage Auction, by the kind permission of the Commandant of the Garrison, on the Parade Ground

TUESDAY. the 28th January, at 4.30 o'clock P.M. When will be offered for sale some excellent and elegant English-built CARRIAGES, and HORSES, Full particulars of the sale will be advertised a day or two later. Hongkong, January 20, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY,

A.M., at the Godowns of Messrs WM. For account of the concerned, Ex " OVERMANN.

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3 F \$3,956, 1 case containing 25 gross Matches (200 ea.) 3 cases, each containing 25 gross Matches (150 ea.)

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Sales Rooms, Queon's Road,-5 cases Bryant & Mays' Safety Mat-Bryant & Mays' Victoria Mat-

Revolvers. Revolver Cartridges

200 dozen White Cotton Socks. 50 boxes Toilet Scap. " Candles. 5 cases Prime Cheese, small size.

5 York Hams. 40 drums Boiled Linseed Oil. Raw Do. Hubbuck's White Zinc and

2 bales Roping Twine. 50 kegs Iron Nails. 5 casks American Butter. 10 pieces White Flannel. Colored Do. Scotch Tweeds. 80 cases Old Tom.

30 casks quarts Ale. do. Stout. 15 pints Stout.

1 case Solace Tobacco. And a variety of other GOODS TERMS,—Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

DOWRA & Co. have received instructions from F. S. HUFFAM, Esq. Official Assignee, to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on

WEDNESDAY, 29th January, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M., on the Premises, known as "Beauregard," The whole of the Elegant Household Room, Dining Room and Bed Room MAN, Esq., of the AGRA BANK LIMITED,

At or about 1 p.m., The HOUSE and GROUNDS. Further particulars will be made known in a future advertisement, and Catalogues of the furniture will be issued prior to day of sale. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

All Lots with all faults and errors of description whatsoever at purchasers risk fore. upon fall of the hammer. Hongkong, January 22, 1868.

Banks.

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Edinburgh Deposit Agency. 128, George Street CHARLES PEARSON, Esq., O.A. - Agent. HONGKONG BRANCH. Current deposits. - Accounts are kept on

which no interest is allowed and no charge made for collecting Bills, Cheques, &c. Fixed deposits .- Are received, viz :-Repayable at 12 months ..... 6% per annum The Bank discounts Local Bills, and Notes payable in Hongkong having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership, and makes advances on ap. | Skong for Yokohama and San Francisco

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Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above mentioned places are purchased or remitted for collection. Further information as to the rules of business may be obtained at the office,

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EDWARD MORRISS, Attorney.

Hongkong, November 8, 1867. NOTICE. 

Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton;

Bombay, Madras, Calcutta, and Australia.

DAVID TRAIL ROBERTSON, Esq. - Chief THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-shi BENARES," Captain McColloon, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places. on SATURDAY, 1st February, at 2 P.M. CARGO will be received on board until d P.M. on the 31st Instant; SPECIE until Noon on the 1st February, and PARCELS until 5 P.M. on the 31st January For particulars regarding Freight and

Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s ffice, Hongkong CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Koute is required by the Eyyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice wnich may happen from incorrect ness in such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note. the terms and conditions of the Company's. Black Bills of Lading. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent Hongkong, January 16, 1868.



PACIFIC MATH STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

CITEAMERS of this line will leave Hong-

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Costa Rica will leave Shanghai Jan. 15th. Feb. 25th, Mar. 17th, April 17th, connecting at Yokohama with above named Stea-Passengers ticketed through to California,

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Co. and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore," and from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 Amer. Clipper-ship "JAMES GUTHRIE," 830 Tens Register, Johnson, Master, having the greater, part of her Cargo engaged, will have quick

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FOR MANILA. The Spanish Barque "VIRGEN DEL CARMEN." will have quick despatch For Freight or Passage, ap-

Hongkong, December 16, 1867. FOR SYDNEY & MELBOURNE, The British Ship "JOSHUA BATES,"

Hougkong, December 31, 1867. FOR NEW YORK. The A I Hamburg Barque. "GALATEA!

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkoug, January 2, 1868.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 Hamburg Barque LORENZEN, Master, 588 Tons Register, will load at Whampoa for the above port, and has room for a

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Hongkong, January 20, 1867.

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UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG KONG AND WHAMPOA.

or to the Captain on Board. J. B. ENDICOTT.

Hongkong, October 12, 1865.

Captain Asston, will leave nesday, the 29th instant, at 8 A.M. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

Capt. PITMAN, will have immediate despatch for the above

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By order of the Board of Directors, J. B. ENDICOTT, New Advertisements.

PER MAIL STEAMER. Suitable for Christmas Presents. SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of Meerschaum PIPES, with and without Cherrywood Stems. Cigar HOLDERS.

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Doeskins, Witneys, Beavers, &c Ladies' and Gentlemen's Hosiery of all descriptions. Ladies' and Gentlemen's

Kid Gloves from well-known Makers. TIES and SCARFS in great

variety. Felt Tapestry and Brussels Carpets, Matting and Floor Cloths.

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description Black and Drab Felt HATS, Black and Drab Paris and Beaver Dress Hats. Hongkong, September 24, 1867.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.
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FOR SALE. I 50 CASES Martinez' Aromatic BIT-LOU TERS, superior quality. 100 cases SHERRY. 100 , PORT. MULLER & CLAUSSEN.

Hongkong, January 13, 1868. TO LET.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

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PUBLIC AUCTION. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will hold a Horse and Carriage Auction, by the kind permission of the Commandant of the Garrison, on the Parade Ground,

TUESDAY. he 28th January, at 4.30 o'clock P.M. When will be offered for sale some excellent and elegant English-built CARRIAGES, and HORSES. Full particulars of the sale will be advertised a day or two later. Hongkong, January 20, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCITON. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have I received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY, the 28th January, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M., at the Godowns of Messrs WM. For account of the concerned,

Ex " OVERMANN," 1 case containing 25 gross Matches (200 ea.) 3 cases, each containing 25 gross Matches (150 ea.)

For another account. 13 cases, each containing 25 gross Matches (200 ea.) DENT'S Buck and Doeskin DRIVING | Hinside t'gle 11 cases, each containing 25 gross Matches (200 ea.)

All more or less damaged by sea water. TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before deliver in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, January 24, 1868. PUBLIC AUCTION.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. wi sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY.

he 28th January, 1868, at Noon, at their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-5 cases Bryant & Mays' Safety Mat

Bryant & Mays' Victoria Mat-

Revolvers. Revolver Cartridges. 200 dozen White Cotton Socks. 50 boxes Toilet Sonp.

5 cases Prime Cheese, small size. 5 . York Hams. 40 drums boiled Linsced Oil.

Hubbuck's White Zinc and 2 bales Roping Twine. 50 kegs Iron Nails.

5 casks American Butter. 10 pieces White Flannel. 10 ., Colored Do. Scotch Tweeds 80 cases Old Tom.

30 casks quarts Ale. do: Stout,

15 ,, pints Stout. 1 case Solace Tobacco. And a variety of other GOODS. TERMS. Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

DOWRA & Co. have received instruc-D tions from F. S. HUFFAM, Esq., Official Assignee, to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on

WEDNESDAY, 29th January, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M., on the Premises, known as "Beauregard," The whole of the Elegant Household FURNITURE, comprising: Drawing quested to transmit the same to A. McCal-Room, Dining Room and Bed Room

At or about 1 p.m., The HOUSE and GROUNDS. Further particulars will be made known in a future advertisement, and Catalogues of the furniture will be issued prior to day of sale.

TERMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. description whatsoever at purchaser's risk forc. upon fall of the hammer. Hongkong, January 22, 1868.

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Messrs Clarke, Sons & Rawlings, Cole-Messes Coleman, Tuniuand, Youngs until 5 p.m. on the 31st January. & Co .- Public Accountants.

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royed Banking Securities. The Bank issues drafts on its London Office, and on the London Joint Stock Bank at four months' sight, also on its Branches above; and Agents in Scotland; lraland, Melbourne, Sydney, and towns it Australia, New Zoaland, &c., and grants Circular Notes for the use of travellers negotiable in all towns of importance

throughout the world. Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above mentioned places are purchased or remitted for collection. Further information as to the rules of business may be obtained at the office, on application by letter to the manager.

Office hours :- 10 to 3, Saturdays 10 to 1. . WILLIAM JACKSON, Manager. 2, Queen's Road, February 27, 1867. W

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Offices of the Corporation, Wardley House, No. 1, Queen's Road, Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK LIMITED. NOTICE. ON and after this date all Persons having

U CLAIMS against the BANK are re-MAN, Esq.; of the AGRA BANK LIMITED,

EDWARD MORRISS, Attorney.

NOTICE. Firm ceased on the 15th instant, and the cisco. said Firm will be continued under the All Lots with all faults and errors of Style of Sheriff & Co. in Bombay, instead Street, N. W., Corner of Pine St., up stairs, of VALLY MAHOMED ALLOOPHOY as hereto- where for further information, apply to ..

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WHE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM 1 NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship "BENARES," Captain McCulloon, Her Majesty's Maile, Pussengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on SATURDAY, 1st February, at 2 P.M. CARGO will be received on board unti 5 P.M on the 31st Instant; SEECIE until Noon on the 1st February, and PARCELS

For particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

ARE SEQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Puckages for the Overland Lioute is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrectness in such declaration

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, January 16, 1868.



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COMPANT. TREOUGH U. S. MALE LINE TO NEW YORK. TEAMERS of this line will leave Hong kong for Yokohama and San Francisco

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Capt. DOANE, 1 31 32 Costa Rica will leave Shanghai Jan. 1ath. Feb. 25th, Mar. 47th, April 17th, connect ing at Yokohama with above named Stea Passengers ticketed through to California

Mexico. Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France both via New York and by lines from Par lama and Aspinwail Return tickets issued at a reduction of

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Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America; at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company, (Limited) and the "Freuch Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following. Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transat lantic Co. New York and Stayre Steam ship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship Co., and North German Lloyds.

Favorable arrangements have been mad or through passingers and freight to Aure rica, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore. and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to Now York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West.

Hongkong, November 25, 1867.

GEO. F. FOWMAN, Agent

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THE N. A. S. S. Co. will despatch regu-I larly by both of the above Rentes. their elegant and commodious Steam-ships "OREGONIAN," "NEVADA," "KYE! BRASKA," "AMERICA," and "MOSES TAYLOR;" connecting on the Atlantic For Agra and Masterman's Bank Lt. with the splendid Stehm-shirs "FULTON," "ARAGO," "DAKOTA," "SANTIAGO" and "SJN-FRANCISCO.".

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Hongkong, January 24, 1868. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. " DOUGLAS,"

Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

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Hongkong, January 6, 1868.

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Ex Donnel, 7th January, 1868. C. BERTRAND,

San Francisco, Dec. 4, 1867,

KONG AND WHAMPOA,

THES Powerful Tette is available at any I moment to Berth Vessels in this Har-For Particulars, apply at the Company's Office, l'edder's Valari, Praya, Hongkong, or to the Castam on Loard.

Hongkong, October 12, 1865.

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DOUGLAS LAPRITE & Co.

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IM. PUSPAU & Co. Hongkong, January 17, 1868. FOR SINGAPORE.

For Freight or Passage apply to NOWROJEE & Co.

Hougkong, January 15, 1868.

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For Freight ord'assage, apply to

Hongkong, December 31, 1867. Resister, west lead at Whampea for the above bort, and has room for a

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Hongkong, November 8, 1857. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr it to their advantage not to engage passage

SHERIFF & Co.

Hongkong, December 31, 1867. 31ja

"GRESHAM" FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of C M B, 1 case Mer-O chandise, are hereby informed that the same has been landed and stored in the godowns of the Undersigned at Consignees' risk and expense.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, January 16, 1868.

"VIRGEN DEL CARMEN," FROM CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-

take immediate delivery of their goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Ves- AL & Co. sel will be landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE WE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

OTICE is hereby given that the Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr C. JAMESON in our Firm ceased on the 30th September last. The Business will in future be carried on

by Mr Z. Banton under the Name or Style of Jameson & Banton, as heretofore. JAMESON & BAKTON. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE: S my Engagement ceases in May next A all outstanding Accounts for the past Two Years must be sent in immediately for

MARY HASTELOW RANDLE. Diocesan School.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868. NOTICE. HE Business of the Undersigned will be carried on at Peddar's Hill, Mr EDMUND R. HOLMES having retired from

GEO HOLMES. Shin and General Broker Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE. ESSRS. H. P. M. WACHTELS and H. ALPRE URTMANS caused to be Part-

ners in our Firm since the 31st December. GAYMANS & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1868.

HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, ceased on the 31st day of December, 1867. A. FERGUSON & Co.

Hongkoug, January 3, 1868. TROM and after this date Mr GEORGE F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the

Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this S. L. PHELPS,

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

A Y Business, as Ship and Insurance IVI Broker, Commission a gent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. HOOK, SON & Co. J. S. HOOK Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

NOTICE. HAVE this day commenced Business as Bhip Broker S. L. HEINEMANN.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A Francison in our Firm ceased on the

1st day of November, 1806. A FERGUSON & Co K HE Business will be henceforth carried

on under the same Name by the Un-A. D. MITCHELL, J. D. MEYERS, and HENRY FEHRS.

Hongkong, December 16, 1867. de 16-68 KOM and after this date, Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the Business

of my Marine Surveying at this port. Marine Surveyor. Foochow, August 1, 1867

XTITH reference to the above, the business hitherto carried on by H. J. DRING, Esq. at Fouchow will be conducted by the Undersigned. J. C. SAUNDERS,

Chup Min, Pugoda Anchorage

Foochow, August 1, 1867.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. W. C. VAN CONDT in dur firm ceased on the 1st January, 1866. Hongkong, November 19, 1867.

Have this day established myself as a General Commission Merchant under the style or firm of VAN CORDT & Co. W. C. VAN OORDT. Yokohama, October 24, 1867.

T HAVE established myself at this port as a General Commission Merchant, under the Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER GIFFORD FORBES PARKER,

Saigon, December 20, 1867.

Malla Bollz. General & Commission Agents.

NAGASAKI. NOTICE.

yesterday by lapse of time. BOYD & Co. Amoy, January 1, 1868,

Kotices of Firms.

HE Partnership hitherto existing between Dorindo Do Rozario, ALEXAN-DRE MARCAL, JR and ANTONIO DOS SANTOS tion of Messrs Holliday, Wise & Co., in the Printing Office at Foochow, was comprising two large stone-floored Granita dissolved on the 12th November, 1857. ROZARIO & Co.

MITH reference to the above, the Busi-

Foochow, November 16, 1867.

DORINDO DO ROZARIO. ALEXANDRE MARCAL, JR. Foochow, November 16, 1867.

URING the absence of Mr J. H. Land If from the Colony, Mr T. Cushing LADD is authorised to sign our firm per pro-

LidDD & Co. Hongkong, January 16, 1868. R. THOMAS PYKE has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.

BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1868. NOTICE. IR RYLE HOLME has been admitted

ML a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

Houses and Lands.

TO BE LET. SHOP, situated in the beat part of the Queen's Road, with Show Cases and Fittings complete. N.B.—Two First Floor Rooms can be had with above, if required. Address "Z.," care of Hongkong Die

Hongkong, November 28, 1867.

TO LET. HE OFFICE and GUDOWN situated a the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messis Elmenhorst & Sanders. For particulars, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1865,

TO LET HE extensive and eligible PREMISES Corner of Hollywood Road and Shelley Street, lately in the occupation of H. M.'s

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, September 4, 1867.

STORAGE CAN be had in First Class Cranite Godowns at Wanchai, on very moderate For particulars, apply to CHARLES RIVINGTON,

At Mesera LANDSTEIN & Co.'s Office. Stanley Street. Hongkong, January 1, 1868. TO LET. HE PREMISES situated at Fedder's

Wharf, lately occupied by Messrs UGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January 1868. For further particulars, apply to THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, December 30, 1867.

TO LET. WO HOUSES on Carlton Terrace Spring Gardens, with or without Go lowns, rent moderate.

AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, 5th September, 1807, TO BE LET.

Furnished or Unfurnished. HE Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany present occupied by Mr N. R. Masson Decupation can be had in a few weeks Application can be made to Mr. Masson a Hongkong, September 25, 1867.

TO LET. MURNISHED or unfurnished OFFICE in BANK BUILDINGS, immediately opposite the Hotel Company's Premises.

Coach HOUSE and STABLING for lorses, situated on the Robinson Road Water and Cas laid on, with the use of an Enclosed Grazing Paddock adjoining. For further particulars, apply to MR. EDMUND SHARP,

Hongkong, August 20, 1867. TO LET.

N OFFICE with Godown and Com pradore's Room.

MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

TO LET. WO or three Kooms, suitable for Officer or otherwise, facing the Praya, West

J. S. HOOK SON & Co. Hongkong, September 3, 1867. TO LET HE Premises situated in Outen's Road Stanley Street, and at present occu pied by Messrs H. Mansu & Co.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co Hongkong, 5th September, 1867. TO BE LET

I'WO New and Strong GODOWNS or

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Marine Lot No. 63. GAVIN THOMPSON

Hou kong, Decemb r 16, 18.7. TO LET:

LARGE ROOM fronting the Queen's Road, suitable for either an Office A .... 1 21 1933 Apply at the MEDICAL HALL

Queen's Road. Hongkong, September 20, 1867.

LICHTERAGE AND TORAGE. THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Mer-THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr chandise, in their own Boats, and to receive W. A. STURROOK in our Firm ceased the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite gollowns, on Moderate Terms.

ROD. S. WALKER & Co. Houghong, March 4, 1866.

Houses and Lands.

TO BE LET. HE PREMISES situated on Lot 11 on the Praya, at present in the occupa-Godowns, commudious Offices, with Bed Rooms above and Compradore's Rooms on the ground Floor.

A HOUSE on same Lot as above, frontness hitherto carried on by Messrs ing to Queen's Road, and commanding s Rozanio & Co. as Printers in Foochow, good view of the harbour from the north Damed Vessel, will please send in their will be conducted by the Undersigned, who side. The House contains eight good Rooms Bills of Lading for countersignature, and have this day established themselves as with Bath Rooms, Verandalis, front and Printers under the Firm of Rozanio, Man- back Kitchens, Servant's Room and Godowns on ground Floor, also good Stabling.

> TURNER & Co. Hongkong, January 22; 1868.

TO LET. OUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor above the Offices of the Undersigned, 14, Queen's Road, at present occupied by Messis C. Hock & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January, 1868; For Terms, &c., apply to

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

TO LET. THE FILST FLOOR of the House No. 94. Queen's Road Central, corner of Graham Street, consisting of three spacious Rooms, Verandah and Outhouses, well adapted for Offices. Apply to

WM. SCHMIDT & Co. Gunmakers. Hongkong, October 2, 1867.

insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are

prepared to graut Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies oulars of their contributions to that date to covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. RAYNAL & Co.

Macao, Aug. 4, 1866.

MERCHANTS' MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY SAN FRANCISCO. PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

'IE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant GOODS, at current rates. Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, August 9 1867.

THE SWISS LLOYD. Transport Insurance Company of Winterthur THE Undersigned having been appoint-

ted General Agents for China of the above named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the rates. SIEMSSEN & Co. asual terms. Hongkong, January 1, 1867.

> REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE:

DHE Undersigned have (as already inti-. mated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL (NSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain curcumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er-FEOTS, therein contained,

In cases of DWELLING-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium wi be Three-quarters per Cent, in place of Ore per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi detached, the rate will be further reduced to One half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for Fire In-SURANCE on the various classes of Building and their contents will therefore remain a follows, unvil further notice, viz. :--

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents. per cent Other Dwelling-Houses (simi-

larly situated) and their Contents. per cent. First Class China House and their Contents, 11 per cent. Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROD. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkoug, November 9, 1866 LIFE ASSURANCE ME Undersigned have received Autho-I. rity by a recent Mail to issue Lare Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000

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HE Undersigned having received extend ed limits from THE ROYA INSUR ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45.000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool Hongkong, June 17, 1864. AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCI OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the naual terms, payable in oase of loss, in CHINA, SINGAPORE CALGUTTA, BOMBAY, OF LONDON. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

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ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864. YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAE.

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F.USSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866. BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. PHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above amed Company are prepared to grant Poicies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates, RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865.

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TION OF SHANGHAL HE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine itisks at current rates of premium Policies un be made payable in London New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai.

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COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointe Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

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IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

INTIL further notice the following An- which include Postage, and delivery in nual Rates will be charged for Fire Hongkong, Insurance, viz :--Detached and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents, . per cent. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their

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Y. Times,	3.00 - 2.00 - 2.00	by the foreigners with criball and other games,			
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Weekly Times,	2.00 2.00 2.00	for an hour or two, but th thing to be done, they wer			
Leader,	2.50	LOCAL.			
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Leslie's Zeitung, (Gor- man),	2.50	culars of the wreck.			
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man),	2.50 2.00	with having been guilty of a mandarin at Kowloong son			
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Wilkes' Spirit of the Times, 6.00 Turf, Field and Farm 6.00	3.00	witnesses had gone home t			
Round Table, 6.00 The Nation, 6.00	3.00 3.00 3.00	Magistrate for a week. It reward of \$500 has been of prisoner's apprehension. Pri			
Army and Naval J'nal, 6.00 Weekly, 4.00 Literary Album, 11Pd 5.00	3.00 2.00 2.50	wise been identified by some freres in Gaol, as an old ha			
Scottish American J'nal 4.00	2.00 2.50	roving line of business.  HONGRONG FIRE INSURANCE			
Echo d'Italia, (Italian), 8.00 Le Courrier des Etats Unis, (French), 8.00	5.00 5,60	The second Ordinary M. Shareholders in the above held on Saturday afternoon			
Leslie's Boya and Girls, Illustrated,	1.50	office of Messrs Jardine, Ma general agents Hon, W. Ker			
Demorest's Young A'ca, 2.00 Sabbath at Home,	1.75	the Chair; and there were p P. Ryrie, Messrs Burrows, H Rowett, Bosman, Medlen, Co			
The Galaxy Semi-Month-		citor); Jukes (secretary) and I. The Chairman said that the			
Leslie filiustración a me-	1.75	had met with the purpose of report for the past year and the accounts up to the Sist I			
Country Gentleman, 4.00 on Weekly Journal, 4.00	2.21	Copies of the same were had their inspection. Mr Burrows congratulated i			
Every Saturday,	3.00 2.00	ers on the fact that they had so small an amount of loss (\$			
Flag of Our Union, 5.00	2.50	the late fire. The Chairman observed t			
Waverly Magazine, 6.00 Banner of Light, 4.00	3.60 2.00	they had reason to congratula oven then:			
Literary Companion,	2.00	Mr Bosman proposed that now adopted and the accor- which, being seconded by Mr			

Southern Papers and Magazines.

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Agriculture, ... 5.00

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2.00 | the new office was formed.

something would be done.

The meeting then separated.

2.00 the Governor's gracious pardon. riodicals. ... 5.00 ... 5.00 n, ... 5.00 rmer 5 00 dvance. per annum for MORRIS, BOWRA & Co., gkong. AN. 27, 1868. the China Mai ing publication. hinaman's New was celebrated icket and foot The day was eneral holiday. ere kept open here being noere closed.

me time since. explained, was sed mandarin ipon a piratical pany with the isoner has likee piratical conand in the sea-OR COMPANY. at the town eswick occupied present-Hon leard, Deacon, laldwell, (soli-Framjee. e shareholders adopting the approving of

the sharehold- which has proved so singularly fatal to days wickedly, whatever care he may take escaped with vessels both outward and homeward bound; when he comes to die to prepare himself \$74,000) from and, in investigating the causes which have for it, it is certain he can never prepare a that the total ed in our issue of June 14, 1867, on the other preparations are little worth .- Dean 38 951.60; but occasion of the wreck of H.M.S. Osprey- Sherlock. late themselves | we clearly proved that a current seta directly the report be of running to the south westward, as deounts passed; scribed in Horsburgh's Sailing Directions. strated, ...... 4.00 2.00 which, being seconded by Mr Deacon, was D'Orsay's frican Pilot, and other authori-1.75 Mr Rowett then proposed, and Mr Bur- the loss of no less than eight ships 2.50 rows seconded, that the Committee for the from this cause alone, and we indulged ted Police News, 4 00 2.00 year should be composed of the following in the hope that, in giving publicity to this members Messre Duncanson, Heard, Kaye, dangerous element in the navigation of the Press, ........ 4.00 2.00 Ryrie and Rangel, the two latter being re- coast, an official warning to future navigaelected; which motion was unanimously tors would be issued in order to avert addi-Mr Bostian said that there was one sug- deeply deplore. We also published, in our 2.00 gestion he wishes to make. When the issue of July 29, 1867, a notice of a bottle the Republican, 4 00 2.00 present office expired by lapse of time thrown overboard by the ship Northumber-Mercury, ... 4.00 2.50 in 1869, it was pretty well understood land, and which drifted to the scene of the 2,50 that a new office would be formed, wrecks, thus clearly proving the existence 2.50 and that the new office ought to accept of this on-shore current. Had our remarks 2.50 Marine risks as well as those against and warnings been attended to, the steam-2.50 fire. He would therefore suggest that wa- ship Bosphorus and her orew might at this 2.50 rine risks should be accepted, say 6 or 9 time have been affort, all well; but, either 2.50 months before May 1869, so that the ma- from indifference or disbelief in the existripe business might have a fair start when ence of this dangerous current, no notice Vienna, by virtue of which the Empress mund, believing them to be mortal, left The Chairman stated that such a step now the Bosphorus adda another to the her deceased husband, and preserves, with found by a friend, and was saved. The might be taken even twelvemonths before many proofs we adduced in support of its her dowry, the palace of Miramar and the poisoner was condemned to death, and his

2.00 | WE (Straits Times) understand that two of of mon than 11 knots an hour, instead of 2.00 the three prisoners who were convicted in to the south-westward, as the captain was 2.00 the Erin Barratry Case in February last, led to believe, by the books and charts his 2.00 have lately been removed from B. M.'s ship was supplied with, would be the case. 2.50 Gaol to the House of Correction, to undergo With a heavy sea on her starboard quarter, 2.50 their respective sentences of penal servi- and the wind abaft the beam, in a W.S. W 2.00 tude. It is rumoured that a Petition is gale the tendency of the ship would be 1.75 being prepared on behalf of the unfortu- the windward of her E.N.E. course, nate prisoners, either for a commutation of more of shore. This will be apparent their present sentences, or His Excellency all seanen, and it would, under ordinary circumstances, have counteracted the effect of a W.S.W. current, had such alone By New York Papers we learn that the existed Had Capt. Alexander not been American steamer Warrior, Captain Pat- a straiger to these shores he would have terson, left that port for flongkong and known that this dangerous current existed -though not noticed in the sailing directions for Southern Africa and steered his A GREAT storm occurred at the Cape of ship to counteract its force. As far back as Good Hope in the latter part of November. 1849, Capt. Salmond, the then Almiralty The damage done to the roads and house Pilot on this coast, published sailing direcproperty in the neighbourhood of Port Eli- tions for Southern Africa, in which this zabeth is estimated at from £25,000 to current is particularly pointed out, and £30,000, while the injury to the stock and seamer are warned of its dangerous tencrops in the district, it is feared, will be dency; and it also appears from the captain something distressing. Several vessels were of the Bosphorus's statement that a notice of this current was published in the French edition of Horsburgh's Sailing Directions A CAPE paper says:-The friends of Col, in 1861-but is not even alluded to in the Annesley, 2nd-10th, will be glad to learn last English edition of that author. With that he has just received a further promo- this dreadful shipwrock and its cause fresh tion. Having completed the qualifying in the knowledge of the authorities, we service with the rank of Lieut, Colonel, he trust that measures will be taken to furnish is to be Colonel under the provisions of the navigators with the information thus cruelly

rticles, &c., filled the end of November. WE learn from Nagasaki that through the He was first told of it whilst on the Zitziintermediacy of Mr J. H. Groos, the Prince kamma beach. The spot where the vessel of Satsuma has purchased for \$155,000, struck was near Zitzikamma Point. g been appointed the fine British steamer Kiangou, 1,100 The following is a list of the drowned. ng, and the Coast tons register, and has placed the same at ed to receive sub- disposal of the Count de Montblanc and above Newspapers suits for the purpose of proceeding to the prince's catates. The Kungau left Nagasaki on the 3rd just bound for Kagossima, an unopened port, with the Count de Montblane and a numerous suite on board -Straits Times.

Shanghai on the 28th September.

wrecked.

An accident of a serious nature happened on board H.M.S. Raccon, in Simon's Bay, on the 16th Sept. Some of the men, it appears, were employed upon the main-yard. preparing for sea, when a rope upon which they were depending gave way, and two of the men fell from the yard to the deck. One poor fellow was killed on the spot, and the other so seriously injured that he lies in a most precarious state.

THE Swedish ship Lina, 857 tons, from Newcastle 13th July, bound to Hongkong with a cargo of coals and fish, put into Simon's Bay on the 27th Sept. for medical assistance, the captain being very sick.

The barque Isabella Ridley, from Cardiff August 12, to Shanghai, with a cargo of buried on the beach, near the scene of the coals, put into Table Bay on the 31st Oct. wreck. Two of them were identified; one for repairs. The captain reports that on | being that of Mr Storm, the chief engineer, the 14th, in a gale of wind, the vessel ship- and the other that of Mr Wilkinson, the ped a heavy sea, carrying away the topsails, and causing other minor damages.

The New York Herald of the 5th Nov. has the following article respecting piracies in the seas, and the despatch of the U.S. gunboat Maumee for their suppression "The United States steamer Mannes sailed last evening for China and Japan. She is a light draught scrow steamer, carrying six guns, and is destined to pursue the piratical crafts up the small inlets and into the narrow bays which, on the East India coast, have heretofore afforded such excellent ch so little ap- | shelter for the Chinese and Malay pirates lographers. In infesting those seas. The commander of ive some parti- the Maumee, Lieutenant Cushing, is well selected. Bis daring exploits during the rebellion, including the blowing up of the rebel ram. Albemarle, indicate that the but a short time since that we a very long and tedious report of the bombarding of the island of Formosa. the United States fleet in those waters. The natives were naturally delighted with the pyrotechnic display, and imagined that the outside barbariaus" were doing them much honor. The United States Treasury paid for the demonstration, and the results were zero. The Secretary of the Navy has, however, arrived at the same conclusion that forced itself upon us when we commented upon the folly of such expeditions. The despatching of the Manmee indicates this. Lientenant Cushing should, however, have a roving commission to do just as much wild work among the pirates as he can possibly attend to. He should be completely freed from the trammels of the red tape which is wound all around the East Indian squadron, and which composes more than half of its tigging. A free commission for the Maumee, and we warrant a warm season for the pirates and more security for our East India trade, which is now taking such

> immense proportions.". WRECK OF THE STEAM TRANSPORT BOSPHORUS. THE CURRENTS OFF THE CAPE. -- BORTY-

> > NINE LIVES LOST.

on to the shore, with westerly gales, instead ties on the subject. We drew attention to tional disasters like that which we now so has been taken of our friendly caution, and Charlotte is recognized universal legates of him to his fate. Mettraux was, however, 2.50 11th May 1869; and it was a very import- necessity. From the evidence before the island of Lacroma. The Court of Vienna mistress to twenty years imprisonment. ant point for consideration. The former Court which inquired into the loss of the also restores to her the jointure to which Committee had already considered the mat- Bosphorus, it will be seen that the ship was she had a right by her marriage contract, to hard labour for life for the murder of but which she had given up on the access. Madame Mertens in the wood at Fontaineenced a current setting to the north east- sion of her husband to the throne of bleau, has just been delivered in prison of ward directly on to the shore, at the rate Mesico.

zines, or Reviews, Royal Warrant of the 3rd February, 1866. kept from them, and thus avert calamities There is a rumour to the effect that the such as that of the ill-fated Bosphorus. for Books, Sta- 10th will leave for Japan, by the Tamar, at is but just to Capt. Alexander to add that at the time his vessel was wrecked, he had not even heard of the loss of the Osprey

> Sailing Department.-John Leigh, Frank Dowden, Robert Fleetwood, Tim Palmer, Christian Dick, J. Tasked, Jas. Hopkins, Juo. Pye, William Elder, Wm. Davidson, Win. Tailor (able seamen), - Bates (boy) - Griffin (boy), Wm. Nixon, John Murphy, Jos. Maybrick, Jos. Stephens, Frank Ross, Henry Hutton, Goes Alfred, John Enton, John Eyre, John Webster, Jno.

Morgan, - Ward (ordinary seamen). \* Stowaways. Engineers' Department. - Robt. Storm (chief engineer), John Martin (2nd do), David Reid (3rd do.), Geo. Wilson (4th do.) John Linon, Pat Connelly, G. Shaw, John Clark, Pet Holso, Owen Diamond (firemen)

Thos. Paycock, Thos. Sherlock, Pat Clark, Dane Linu (trimmers.) Stewards' Department. - Geo. Rue (chief steward), W. Avery (second, do), Thomas Rissack (clerk), T. Wilkinson (storekeeper), Staunton Breard, John Hunt, Thos. Payne | Mail, - Spanish Consul.

(tewards), Chas. Jenkins, - Brown (cooks),

Thos. Shallady (baker). . Twenty bodies have been recovered and

We will give some particulars relating to this disaster in our next.

THE FEAR OF DEATH .- The most tormenting fears of death are owing to a sense of guilt, which, indeed, are rather a fear of judgment than of death, or a fear of death, as it sends us to judgment. Wicked men, who never concerned themselves with the thought of God and another world while they were in health, many times a dangerous sickness which gives them a nearer view of death and judgment awakeus their consciences, and overwhelms them with the unsupportable terror of future vengeance Then they begin to lament their ill-speut lives, and to tremble before the just and pirates may expect some hot work. It is righteous Judge: now they are mighty gave | earnest for comfort : the minister who was the subject of their drollery before, is sent for in great haste, and it is expected from time to time that he should luit their consciences asteep, and send them quietly into another world, to receive their doom there. Now it is very fitting to let these men know that there is no possible way to prevent these fears when they come to die than while they are well, by giving all diligence to make their calling and election sure; by living such holy and innocent lives in time of health that their consciences may not condemn them in the hour of sickness or death, and then they shall have confidence towards God. It must be the business of our whole lives to prepare for death; our accounts must be always ready, because we know not how soon we may be called to give an account of our stewardship; we must be always upon our watch, as not knowing what hour our Lord will come. . . . Some men talk of preparing for death as if it were a thing that could be done in two or three days, and that the proper time of doing it were a little before they die, but I know no other pre- to the foreign merchants as to need a paration for death but living well; and specification. thus we must every day prepare for death, and then we shall be well prepared when death comes; that is, we shall be able to give a good account of our lives, and of the It has been our painful duty to record improvement of our talents, and he who the total loss of the steam transport Bospho- can do this is well prepared to die, and to rus, with 95 lives, on that part of our coast go to judgment; but he who has spent all his led to these fatal results -which we publish good, account of his past life, and all his

THE Aventr National relates that the pupils of the College of Rennes rebelled on November 23. The revolt was directed against one of the ushers, who was nearly killed in striving to enforce respect of authority, the little revolutionists having buried him underneath a mattress, and being in the act of smothering him when the arrival of the inspector gave the man opportunity of extricating hinhelf, Nevertheless, the superior functionary in question could not make himself obeyed, and was obliged to threaten the intervention of the military. To which one of the insergents proudly replied, "So much the better-that will give us arms !" comedy ended by the expulsion of eightyfour of the pupils; but that measure is not bility too sweeping.

SHIPPING REPORTS

The British steamer Unding, from East Coast, reports strong N. E. monsoon all the passage to Hongkoug. Passed the steamer Niphon off Cork Point; steamer Formosa was at Amoy. On 25th, at 3 a.m. passed steam-ship China off Pedro Branco, and steam-ship Ajax off Tamtoo.

The British barque Stag, from Amboin reports the first part of passage had fine weather till in lat. 13.30 N., long. 130 E then experienced heary gales from N. E. N.N.E., which lasted 3 days, subsequently had moderate N.E. monsoon till arrival

The Hamburg barque Fetisch, from Bangkok reports : To Gulf of Siam, had fine weather; thence to the China Sea had strong N.E. monsoon; making no progsess for two days put off to eastward passagehad variable and thick weather and rain for some days, then moderate and fin weather and steady N.E. monsoon till arrival in port.

The Norwegian harque President Harbita from Bangkok, reports fine weather unti last two days, when met with strong N.E. gales and very heavy sea.

The British ship Mirage, from Bangkok reports fine weather the first part of the passage, succeeded by bad weather blowing very heavy gales and heavy sea; the ship leaking very much had to throw some cargo overboard to lighten her.

ARRIVALS. Jan. 25, United Service, from Canton. Jan. 25, Douglas, from Whampos. Jan. 25, Condor, from Whampon Jan. 25, Alexandra, from Whampua. Jan. 20, Nunanu, from Whampoa. Jan. 25, Undine, Brit, steamer, 386. Toppin, Foochow, Amoy and Swatow, Jan. 22, 23 and 24, General. D. LAPRAIR & Co. Jan. 25, Stag, British barque, 258, J Martin, Amboina, Dec. 20, General. -- Cap-

Jan. 25, Mirage, British ship, 718, O Ruan, Bangkok, Dec. 4, Rice. -S. E. Bur-BOWS & SONS Jan. 25, Fetisch, Hamburg barque, 4.6 Greiff, Bangkok, Dec. 9, 11,000 piculs Rice. -WM. PUSTAU & Co.

. Jan. 26, President Ha bitt, Norw. barque, 348, D. J. von der Ohe, Bangkok, Dec. 17 Rice 9,000 piculs .- SIEMESEN & Co. Jan. 26, Matilda, Brit. brig, 256, Ram

sey, Swatow, Jan. 25, Ballast.-Order. Jan. 26, Vencedora. H.C.M.S., Don Vi cente Manterola, Manila, 23rd January

DEPARTURES. Jan. 24, China, for Shangbai. 25, Ajax, for Shanghai. 25, Fairy, for Bangkok.

Passengers. Per Undine, - Messra Swinhoe, Jackson Mesfen, Lefevre, and 50 Chineso. 'Per Vencedora .- Don M. Ramires, Salvador Solorano.

(From the Canton Customs' Daily Return. Export cargo per Galatea, cleared on the 23rd January for New York.

10 cases Cassia Oil. Gamboge, . 600 rolls Matting, 40 boxes Vermilion. 32 tubs Camphor, 124 b'dles Cassia, . 15 cases Yellow Metal. 2 casks Nails, 4592 rolls Matting. 8500 boxes Fire Crackers. 525 cases Preserves.

63 bales Silk Refuse. 170 cases Raw Silk. 38 cases Re-reeled Silk 172 boxes Imperial Tea. 100 cases Cassia Buds. 32 cases China Ware. 8 cases Wood Wara. 1 picul 60 catties Marble Slabs.

Export Cargo per steamer China, cleared for Shanghai, &c., on the 22nd January:-Brass Ware, - - - 87 Flowers dried, - - - - - 119

Indigo dried, - - - - 32 25 Lead, white, - - - 18 30 yellow, - - - 113 31 Lungaus dried, - - - - 166 50 Paper, - - - 84 61 candy .. - - - 194 40 And other Sundries of no importance

Export cargo per steamer United Service cleared for Shanghai &c., on the 22nd Pls. Cats. 45 99

Lungan Pulp 29 83 Sugar Candy 59. And other sundries of no importance to the foreign merchants as to need a specifi-

Ar Mondon, Switzerland, a man named

Freymund married a lady, but still kept up an illicit connection with a young woman. She, in hopes of becoming his wife, begged him to poison Madame Freymund. and he had the horrible cruelty to give her poison when joyously playing together in a family party, and although she was far advanced in pregnancy. The constitution of the wife having resisted the attempt, a stronger dose of poison was administered, mund had left her fortune to be equally divided between her husband and her sister. The Marie Olivier. He then made up his mind to marry Marie, but as she was engaged to a person named Mettraux, he persuaded likely to be definitive, being in all proba- him to take a walk, and gave him a roll poisoned with strichmine; the other ate the A Baussers letter states that a few days bread without suspicion, and fell to the back final arrangements were signed at ground in horrible convulsions, and Frey-

MADAME Frigard, who was condemned twins—a boy and a girl.

HUNDREDS of the chairs which stand for hire on the Boulevards were recently smashed in the night. The perpetrators were unknown, but they have been since pounced upon by the police at night while breaking up the chairs in the Champs Elysées. There were two of them, and both belong to literature. One is named Dacire, a writer of farces; the other, Baratin, an insurance broker's clerk and a writer in obscure periodicals. As a comic article on the subject had appeared in the Figure, the magistrates seemed to think that this couple of lively French littérateurs were providing matter for another article, and perhaps for a vaudeville at the Theatre Dejazet. The unseemly freak cost them upwards of 801., besides the law

SHORT SERMONS .- The Advertiser com-

plains of the absurd and mischievous caumny to the effect that the Queen has caused to be set up, in the Chapel of Savoy "sermon-gange," or sand-glass, indicating eighteen minutes as the proper length for the sermons to be there delivered. The Advertiser has no sympathy with the cry for short sermons. A bad sermon-a sermon filled with thesome platitudes-is too long if it lasts ten minutes; but a sermon filled with thought, the outpouring of the studies of a vigorous mind, is not to be measured by minutes. It is nearly inevitable that a sermon of eighteen minutes should be a bad one. A man would be a wonder of condensation who could contrive to put anything of value into so small compass. The Advertiser fears there are some of the clergy of all classes, who favour this cry for short sermons. Young men who enter the ministry merely as a genteel profession, and who would willingly spend their time in croquet parties, wedding breakfasts, and similar employments, sit down to the task of preparing a sermon with as little pleasure as a dull schoolboy feels in his Latin exercises, Again, Popery tries to lower the pulpit that she may exalt the mass, and there are many young men in England who, without openly going over to Popery, do in their hearts prefer it. All this class, therefore, join in the common cry, and entirely agree with the demand for "short sermons," The Advertiser heard a sermon at St. Mary's, Oxford, last year, which lasted an hour and twenty minutes, and which would willingly have been listened to for an hour longer. THE New York correspondent of the

Daily News thinks that partly owing to the democratic want of judgment and partly to the chastening and enforced improvement to which the Republicans have been subjected, "the prospects of the latter for the election of next year are much better now than they were six months ago. But the Republicans, of whom a large number are Puritans, have lost the influence of the Germans, who were at one time an important element in their party. Assailed by the Puritan-Republicans for drinking beer and especially drinking beer on Sundays, and otherwise desecrating the Lord's-day, the Germans, who are really a sober and industrious, if obstinate section of the community, secoded in a budy from the party to which they had attached themselves. "They rose on masse against the Sunday Drinking Laws and Maine Liquor Laws, and consequently came into violent collision with the Republicans, and now have in effect left the Republican ranks. The Amcrican President's appointment of Mr Hot. race Greeley as United States Minister to the Court of Vienns has been confirmed by the Senate. Let us hope that the newlyappointed Minister will render his position as remarkable for accomplishments and learning as it was under his predecessor, the historian of the Netherlands, Mr J. Lathrop Motley.

M. Bosco, the well-known conjuror, spent the winter of 1858-59 in Berlin, and was one day summoned to appear at the palace, in order to exhibit his art before the present King, at that time Prince Regent and the court. Among other apparatus he had a terrestrial globe, upon which Prussia was made to appear extremely small. Bosco advanced to the Prince, who was sitting on an armchair in the front row, and asked him to take the globe in his hands. The Prince did so, when, to his astonishment, the former little Prussia began to assume much larger dimensions. "Your royal highness perceives," said Bosco, "how Prussia will become aggrandized under your hands," The trick was loudly applauded at the time, but little did the spectators imagine that what was intended as a courtly jest was destined to become political earnest within seven years from that time.

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tice may probably be short. The Steamer "UNITED SERVICE not having arrived from Canton, the Mail to be forwarded to Shanghai by her will not be closed until further

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29thinstant, at 7.30 A.M.

MAILS BY THE " BENARES." The Contract Packet "BENARES," will be pispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on SATURDAY, the 1st February, and the Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registration, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 11 A.M.

of that day. After 11 A.M. all Letters, &c., will chargeable, in addition to the usual postage, with a late fee of 18 cents for each Letter and two cents for each Newspaper, Book or Packet of Patterns. The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 1 P.M., and for Newspapers, Books or Patterns, Noon

on the lat February. Further late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom vic Marseilles or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 1.30 to 1.50 P.M. on payment of a late fee of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can be

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the window set apart for the purpose, on the East Side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which pre payment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps. Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed the United Kingdom will be sent on charged with a flue of One Shilling in

addition to the postage. Letters posted after 11 A.M. will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee as well as

the postage is prepaid. Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped addressed to places to which they can not be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers as early in advance. as possible, but no guarantee can be given that such Letters, if posted on he morning of the Packet's departure will be returned until after the mail is

Postage Stamps should be placed on the upper right hand corner of the correspondence, except in cases where the may be used in payment of "Late Fees, when the Stamp or Stamps represening the late fee should be placed on the lower left-hand corner.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dol lar will be conducted in the Coins prescribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 22nd Junuary, 1864, and no other Coins, but those therein specified will either be received or given in change as fractional parts

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes. F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General. General Post-Office, Hongkong, January 16, 1868.

Intimations.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL,

HONGKONG. TRUSTEES The Colonial Secretary,

The Honourable W. Keswick, Esq., GEO, HEARD, Esq., The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Company, (ex officio), W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Resident Sur-Mr Young, House Surgeon,

W. PATHESON, Esq., Hon. Treasurer. TERMS OF ADMISSION-

1st Class (Private Room), per day, \$3.00 (2 Bedsines. Room),.... 3rd ,, (Public Wards), ,, \$0.75 These Charges are inclusive of all Medi cines and Attendances, but exclusive of Wines of Articles not in the recognised Dietary Table. All orders for Admission to Hospital must

be countersigned by some responsible Person or Persons resident in the Colony. Patients are also admitted on Deposits at the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having been expended :-

1st Class,... \$20. W. PATERSON, Treasurer.

Hongkong, January 1, 1868. THE OFFICES of Messis Augustine

HEARD & Co. have this day been removed to their old Premises adjoining the Cathedral. Hongkoug, December 28, 1867.

THE Ship chandlery. BUSINESS of the Undersigned has been temporarily removed to Scott's Lane, No. 33. FREERKS, RODATZ & Co. Hongkong, December 9, 1867. NOTICE.

11. HE Office of the Undersigned is removed to the Premises formerly occupied by Mesers SMITH KENNEDY & Co., Queen's

EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, November 30, 1867.

REMOVAL. THE Undersigned hav ethis day Removed their STORE from Praya East to the PREMISES No. 13, QUEEN'S ROAD Central, formerly occupied by the CENTRAL BANK OF WESTERN INDIA.

MAJEWEN & Co. Hongkong, 6th December, 1867. FISHE: OFFICE of the Undersigned is REMOVED to GAGE STREET, Corner ofL yndhurst Terrace. REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1868,

#### Intimations.

OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION. BRITISH CONSULATE.

CANTON, June 6th, 1867. HE Undersigned hereby gives notice that in consequence of the decease of MR. E. L. LANÇA, lately British Consular Agent at Macao, the functions of the British Consular Agency at that Port will be

temporarily discharged by Mr. Pro MARques, subject to and pending the sanction of Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at teking, and of H. M. Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. The Office of the British Consular Agency

is for the present established at No. 23, Ruada Feitoria at Macao. D. B. ROBERTSON,

Hongkong, June 8, 1867. THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED. NOTICE. ENDERS are invited for the BUILD

ING of a Granite DOCK on the Grounds of the Company at Kowloon, the following dimensions, viz:-150 feet Long. " Deep. 30 ,, Wide on Bottom.

For particulars, apply to B. ENDICOTT Secretary. Hongkong, December 13, 1867.

NOTICE. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

R. N. J. EDE having resigned the Acting Secretaryship of the Union Insurance | thankfully received. Society of Canton, Mr C. D. WILLIAMS is half of the Society. The offices of the com- quired in connection with the "Home pany are now those lately occupied by should be applied for. Messis Lyall, Still & Co.

(Signed) W. KESWICK Chairman of the Committee Hongkong, July 4, 1867.

MESSRS GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. of shanghai, Foochow and Hankow have been appointed Agents for the Society at those Ports.

(Signed) W. KESWICK Chairman of the Committee Hougkong, July 4, 1867.

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Simmery, &c., &c. Advertisements will be charged Tls. per 10 lines, for the first insertion, and 50 ets. per 10 lines, for each subsequent inser-

Shanghai, January, 1867.

GEORGE GLASSE, (FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY, LONDON, AND 28, PLACE

VENDOME, PARIS) ENGLISH AND FOREIGN

CHEMIST VICTORIA DISPENSARY,

HONGKONG. SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS

SUPPLIED & REFITTED. Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

TANTED by a YOUNG MAN, a situation as Clerk or Book-keeper. nominal salary would be accepted, imme diate employment being a greater object Highest references can be given. Address "R. " China Mail Office. Hongkong, December 27, 1867.

WANTED Y a Gentleman just arrived, a Situation ) as BOOK-KEEPER and ACCOUNT-ANT. Good shorthand writer; thoroughly inderstands Shipping and Insurance. Ad dress "H. B. B.," Office of this paper. Hongkong, January 18, 1868.

LLINGWORTH & Co., having established themselves at West Point, next below the Honokono and China Cas Co., are prepared to do all kinds of ENGINE AND BOILER WORK:

SHIPSMITH'S WORK of any description. They have also erected a FOUNDRY on the Premises, and are prepared to execute

ill kinds of IRON AND BRASS CASTINGS. And hope that by a strict attention to business and moderate charges, to merit : share of the public patronage. Hongkong, August 22, 1867

Hongkong Lightering and Storage Co.

IE above Company is now prepared to LIND or SHIP Cargo in first class Lighters, and to take the entire discharge of Ships by Contract. Also to STORE to the Public from this date during certain Goods in first class Granite Godowns at Alterations and Repairs. moderate Rates. J. S. HOOK, SON & Co.,

Managers. Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT. 1. MATHERS begs to express his THANKS to the Subscribers to the Fund lately collected for the purpose of defraying the Expenses of his defence against the recent unjust charge of manalaughter. upon which he was honourably acquitted by i jury at the last Sessions. Hongkong, January 14, 1268.

Mr WILLIAM GASKELL; ATTORNEY, SOLICITOR, PROCTOR AND NOTARY PUBLIC. REMOVED to No. 2, CLUB CHAMBERS

D' Aquiller Street. Opposito Mesers Douglas Laprain & Co. Hongkong, August 28, 1869,

### Intimations.

BOWRA & Co., AUCTIONEERS, SHIP CHANDLERS, BAIL-MAKERS, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHINTS, AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG

Intimations,

ater Boats in conscant readiness to supply Ships with Pure Fresh Water. Sails made and repaired on the Premses.

HE Members of the late Hongkon Vo · lanteer Corps are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKIN the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sauction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed. H. COHEN.

Hongkong, March 13, 1867. SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT.

Trustees. The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., JOHN DENT, G. THOMSETT, ESO WARREN DELANO,

Jr. Esq. W. ADAMSON, Esq. B. GIBB, Esq. R. BRAND, Esq. VALDEMAR NISSEN! GEO. MAULEAN EBO PALANJEE FRAMJEE, Rev. J. J. LEWIN,

Ivon MURRAY, Esq. 1. HEARD, Enq. H. B. LEMANN, Esq. M. D. Committee of Management, The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., Chairman THOS. SUTHERLAND, H. G. THOMSETT, Esq.

G. J. HELLAND, ERQ.

the distribution of the 25 % Profit reserved YONATIONS of Books, Periodicals, Newspapers, Clothes, &c., will be most

Cantain A. Overbury, assumes the duties his day appointed Secretary, and is autho- of Superintendent from this date, to whom rized to sign. Policies of Insurance on be- or to the committee any information re-

> Hougkong, September 21, 1866. Wm. T. COLEMAN & Co., SHIPPING & COMMISSION

MERCHANTS. SAN FRANCISCO. NEW YORK. California & Front Str. 117. Front St. HOLLOWAY'S PILLS & OINTMENT

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS. THIS Medicine is universally admitted L to be the most efficacious remedy known to the world. No preparation is so suitable to the climates of India and China as this fine and invigorating medicine, is particularly adapted to the constitution of European ladies, as it is never failing in its effects in all diseases peculiar to females, while those who are attenuated by the debilitating effects of the above climates will and in this wonderful remedy a kind of ta-

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Hongkong, February 1, 1867. T the request of the Undersigned. have taken temporary charge of the following Insurance Companies :-Phoenix Assurance Company.

Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company, London and Provincial Marine Insurance

Universal Marine Insurance Companyd SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,

Houghong, July 2, 1867.

HONGKONG & CHINA GAS CO., LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given that the Dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. declared in accordance with a resolution passed at the England. Annual General Meeting of Shareholders held at the Head Office, London, on the 5th September last, will be payable at the office of the Company, West Point, on and after the 30th November instant. A. NEWTON,

Hongkoug, November 26, 1867. NOTICE:

DHE Undersigned beg to inform Masters of vessels bound to this port, that they have always a large Stock of CAN-VAS, EUROPEAN ROPE, TWINE, and other Shipchandlers' Stores, as well as Salt Provisions continually on hand, which they are able to dispose of, at as reasonable rate as they can be purchased at in any of the China Ports. KARUTH HENISZEN & Co.

Manila, June 22, 1866.

A LEX. BOYER having engaged the Services of Midlle, MARIE, lately with Messra H. MARSH & Co. is prepared to execute any orders for DRESS MAKING, MILLINERY, &c. Hongkoug, October 14, 1867.

IT is hereby notified that the portion of I Robinson Road which lies between Castle Road and Bouliam Road is CLOSED. By order, W. WILSON,

Surveyor General. Surveyor General's Office. Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

WM. DOLAN, SALL MAKER, &C. Duddell Street, (Opposite French Consulate.) Hongkong, April 2, 1866. BROWN, JONES & Co.,

UNDERTAKERS. LONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES ERECTED, in the Best Style. LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on the J Shortest Notice.

Apply to C. M. BROWNE, Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. A. OTIOE is hereby given that the REGIS TERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 15th day of February next (both days includ-

ed), during which period no transfer o Shares can be registered. VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager. Fongkong, January 21, 1868.

CORPORATION NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. OTICE is hereby given that the Ordi

nary Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the HEAD OFFICE of the Bank, Wardle House, Queen's Road, Hongkong, on FRI DAY, the 14th day of Feb. proximo, at three o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1867. By order of the Court of Directors,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 21, 1868. CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE

VICTOR KRESSER,

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS, CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company BAR and ANGLE IRON of sizes. are requested to Furnish the Undersigned with a list of Premia contributed by them up to the 31st (ctober last, to afford

for the Contributors to the Company. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE

ATOTICE is hereby given that an Agency of this Company has been opened in Macao, under the care of Messrs Margesson & Co., and that Captain Carroll has been appointed Surveyor for the Company at that Port

By order of the Court of Directors. JOHN S. MACKINTOSH,

Shanghai, September 28, 1867. "STAG HOTEL."

SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD. OERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Superior Hotel Accommodation will find tat the above Establishment. EDMUND R. HOLMES,

Hongkong, July 22, 1867. Billiards | Billiards | Billiards

COMMERCIAL BILLIARD ROOMS ENTRANCES :- Queen's Road, (next door to Messrs SAYLE & Co.), and Stanley

Iced Fancy Drinks of all descriptions Four First-class English and American Billiard TABLES in good order and repair.

F. SIMONS,

F. S. will also be glad to repair, re-cover, level, and thoroughly overhaul BILLIARD TABLES, at a reasonable rate, for any Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Gentleman who may require his services. Commercial Billiard Rooms. Hongkong, July 30, 1867.

ORIENTAL BOWLING

ALLEYS. TITBO would attend a GYMNASIUM when half-an-hour at the above exercise is sufficient for the day's constitutional, combining the necessary exertion of manual labour with the interest attached to a Game of skill;

A Soda FOUNTAIN with the latest Cordial Drinks (for testotallers) continually in play. While the Undersigned will be a guarantee for the quality of the stronger drinks supplied, having brought out a choice assortment of WINES and SPIRITS from

EDWARD PARKER. Late Albion .: Hongkong, May 20, 1867

11HE Undersigned is ready to receive Tenders for the CONVEYANCE of the undermentioned Stores to Yokohama :-150 Housheads. LIME JUICE, 50 boxes.

ALE: H. PRICE, Naval & Victualling Storckeeper. H. M. Naval Yard, Hongkong, December 18, 1867.

VIEW OF HONGKONG. AR. BAPTISTA begs to inform the Re-VI sidents of Hongkong that he will be prepared to receive orders for COLOURING the Lithographic View of Hongkong issued with the Overland China Mail of 15th Novat the following rates :--

Full Coloured ......\$5 Shaded in Pencil,....\$1.50 A Specimen of the Full oloured Lithograph can be seen at this ( flice; Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

HE Undersigned has leisure daily for

few hours to TEACH CHILDREN. Ladies and Gentlemen, of Hongkong to play on the Piano Forte. GEORGE PREESENT Care of Mr VOLKNANN, Hollywood Road. Hongkong, October 12, 1867.

NOTIOE. THE Steamers "PRINCE ALBERT" and "SIR JAMSETJEE JEEJKE. BHOY" are withdrawn from the Canton River as Night Boats until further notice. Hongkong, November 15, 1867. FRENCH

moderate terms. Address X. X., care of Also some GAME, Office of this Paper. Hougkong, September 25, 1867. TO HOUSE-KEEPERS & SHIP.

HE Advertiser, a PARISIAN, is desir-

MASTERS. TOHN PATERSON & Co., House and Ship Plumbers, Copper and Zine Workers, and Gas Fitters, 16, Queen's Road West, and Acheong's Yard, Praya West,

Hongkong, November 4, 1867.

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EX MAIL STEAMER. YON SAUSAGES in best condition A CHEESE and HAMS. Assorted French CONFECTIONARY Malaga RAISINS in bottles and tins. ALMONDS in shells. Peeled ALMONDS in tins. Eleme FIGS in tins. PRUNES in bottle.

Smoked Pomeranian GOOSEBREASTS LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkoug, December 20, 1867.

FOR SALE. Just Arrived. BRO DWOOD'S Grand PIANOS, may be had at Wholesale Price. Address "A." Office of this paper. Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

I sortment of PERFUMES. DAWSON & SONS' BOOTS. For Sale, at greatly Reduced Prices, JULES EUZIERE, Hair Dressing Room, Up-stairs

ENDRIE, PIESE & LUBIN'S Fine A.

Hongkong, December 4, 1867. FOR SALE. T the West Point FOUNDRY & MACHINE SHOP, SHEET COPPER, 30 by 60 STEAM and VACUUM GAUGES. GAUGE GLASSES, all sizes.

LOWMOOR and THORNYOROFT BOILER IRON PLATES. One Pau of CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS,

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mitable for Dock purposes. ILLINGV/ORTH & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867. FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED

I ARMONIUMS and other Musical INSTRUMENTS. Christy Minstrel's SONGS. Pianoforte VIOLIN and other STRINGS, &c., &c.

INSTRUMENTS tuned and repaired. O. WAGNER. 28. Hollywood Road. Hongkong, August 2, 1867. 2au-68

FOR SALE.

MAUNTZ Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and Apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1867.

FOR SALE. Ex late Arrivals. 1) RIME California OHEESE. Gruvere Do. Do. California BUTTER 100 barrels Prime Hamburg Mess PORK Prime Westphalia HAMS, at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

FOR SALE. SMALL Lot of Superior Old PORT WINE, Th. Cy. Sandeman, Oporto. Fine Dry MADEIRA. Fine CHAMPAGNE, COGNAC. Various Superior Hungarian WINES WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 6, 1867.

FOR SALE. 100 Barrels PRIME PORK and 100 barrels MESS BREE Apply to

SMITH: ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, December 1, 1867. TATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases. SHERRY , 3 PORT CLARET ,, 1 BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkoug, April 9, 1867. FOR SALE. CELLOW METAL and NAILS, 18 to Superior CLARET, St. PIERRE, 1852. Superior CHAMPAGNE, H. PIPER & Co., carte blanche. SPIRITS OF WINE, in Boxes of I doz. RAYNAL & Co.

Hongkong, October 1, 1866. 10c-68 A MILLAR, PLUMBER, COPPERSMITH AND BRASS FOUNDER,

No. 1, Queen's Road East. ( Asorted sizes and thick-Copper Pipe, ( Sheet Brass, Brass Pipe. Brazing Solder.

Borax. Shifting Box and Plain Plug Flange Cocks. Stuam Winistics, Assorted sizes and pat-Engine Room Gongs and Bells, Tallow and Water Syringes.

Iron, Steel, Copper and Brass Wire, A ssorted sizes. Ships' Common and Double valve Water Hongkeing, January 15, 1868. FOR SALE. DHOTOGRAPH!C APPARATUS, com

MULLER & CLAUSSEN.

Hongkong, January 13, 1868, FOR SALE. VELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Munts L and Viviaus. JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1866.

FOR SALE. THE desirable PROPERTY on Queou's Road, lately occupied by Mesars D Perfumed FLOWERS. SMITH KENNEDY & Co. For further particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1867.

HE Undersigned has just received, by Steamer Suttomada, a few SHEEP ous of giving some French Lessons on ready dressed and for Sale in quarter. J. FRISBY, 33, Proya. Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

> FOR SALE. CINE Copenhague BU TER, in tins of 1 284bs nett, and by the pound. Prime Californian CHEESE, ANCHO-VIES,-At FREERKS, RODATZ & Co.

Hongkerg, December 24, 1867.

### For Sale.

STEAM COALS, For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board. INGLISH-Londonderry West Hartley. Davisson's West Hartley, Straker West Hartley.

WELSH-Blasngware Marthyr. Apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 16, 1866.

FOR SALE, ULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE MUMM & Co.'s HOCK & MOSELLE. qts. and pts. Chillingworth's SHERRY and PORT. CHAMBERTIN, WHISKEY, WHITE & PRICE'S BRANDY. ALLSopp's ALE, draught and bottle. BARCLAY & GUINNESS' STOUT. BRIDGES & SONS' PORTER. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, November 20, 1867. FOR SALE. INHE Property known as ALMACK PLACE having all rontage of Eighty-three feet on Wellington and GAGE Streets, and of Iwo Hundred and Twenty-ninefeet on ABER. DEEN STREET, comprising a superficial area of about 19,000 Square feet. Annual Ground Rent. £42.12.6.

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HAMPAGNE, Adolphe Collins and L. Jauvray & Co.'s Association Vissi. CLARET, real Château Marganx. Haut Bages,

BRANDY, Honnessy's and Martel's in 1 dozen cases: BEER and PORTER in bottle BUTTER (Platts) in kegs.

L. Espaire Duroc.

A quantity of Iron COLUMNS, Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. with NAILS. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, December 11, 1867.

FOR SALE. EX THE TWEED, ALBERT VICTOR and Late Arrivals. 1) UBBER and Canvas Leading HOSE. Tuck's Rubber PACKING, Engine Rigging SCREWS, Police IRONS, Assorted FILES. Engineers' HAMMERS, FORGES and

T. & D. Henry's 1st quality CANVAS and PARCELLING. Best Merchant Navy CANVAS, Repair ing CANVAS. Henry PACKING, WICKING. Hemp and Cotton TWINE, York HAMS, Cheddar CHEESE, Corn

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pery Establishment, Queen's Hoad. Hougkong, December 9, 1867. IETETIC BAEL, the new DIET, so highly recommended by the Faculty to those suffering from derangement of the Digestive Organs. Can be produced from GEO. GLASSE. The Victoria Dispensary

Hongkong, December 10, 1867.

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ASTOR UIL in cases of twenty Gallons each, or in quantities to suit Purcha-To be had at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, December 10, 1867. AT THE STAG HOTEL STORES, NO. 110, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, December 9, 1867.

Just Landed. Ex THE TWEED. Dickles, Jams, Salt. VINEGAR, CURRANTS. HERBS, Raspberry VINEGAR, CATSUP, MUSTARD, Loaf SUGAR; BLACKING. Ginger BRANDY. Booth's OLD TOM. CHAMPAGNE in pint. Chedder Loaf CHEESE. Prime YORK HAMS.

Hongkong, January 9, 1868. Just landed ex Mail Steamer, the following ARTICLES suitable 101 CHRISTWAS PRESENTS, CTEAM Engine Perfume DISPENSER Magic BOQUET. Musical PERFUME: Fancy Toilet BOTTLES and PERFUME. Peculiar and New PERFUMES.

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PACHETS. YLANG YLANG. Hungarian Ash Scent CASE. Toilet CASES. Toilet BOTTLES in Leather, Tortelle Shell and Penel Cases. Perfume FGUN / INS. Rose WATER CRACKERS. And various other NOVELTIES of:

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It is hereby notified that, until

New Advertisoment

NOTICE.

until Noon, on WEDNESD 5th February next, for the Hire LING for 6 Horses, in the locality Road, Central. The Owner to be responsible for and Taxes. REDMOND UNIA Dep. Commis. Controller's Office, Commissuriat,

PENDERS will be received at the

Hongkong, January 27, 1868. FOR SALE. FEW cases of very superior S inst received ex "Channel Q Superior Amontillado S in 3 doz, cases. Superior Oloroso SHER

doz. cases. Quarter-casks ( cased ) Oloroso SHERRY. Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON

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Hongkong, January 27, 1868. FOR SALE. Ex "ALBERT VICTOR TOMAN CEMENT. Portland CEMENT

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GINES, with Hoses comp

BOWRA Hougkong, January 21, 1868. PER MAIL STEAMER Suitable for Christmas Pre SPLENDID ASSORTME Meerschaum PIPES, wi without Cherrywood Ste Cigar HOLDERS. ALBUMS

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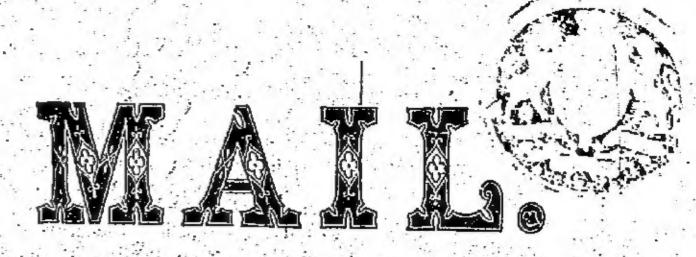
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### New Advertisements.



NENDERS will be received at this Office until Noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 6th February next, for the Hire of STAB-LING for 6 Horses, in the locality of Caine Road, Central.

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Hongkong, January 27, 1868. FOR SALE.

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Black and Drab Felt HATS Black and Drab Paris and Beaver Dress Hats. Hongkong, September 24, 1867. HONGKONG AMATEUR THEA-

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THE Committee beg to intimate that the Third REPRESENTATION of the

Season is fixed for THIS EVENING.

at the Lusitano Theatre, when will be performed the laughable Farce "COOL AS A CUCUMBER. To be followed by

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Non-subscribers may obtain Tickets at Messra Lane, Chawrond & Co. s. Price. The Performance will commence at halfpast eight o'clock precisely.

H. HARRINGTON NELSON, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, January 17, 1868. KOHLERS

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C. L. VOLKMANN, Private Boarding Establishment,

29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

the 28th January, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M. at the Godowns of Messrs WM. PUSTAU & Co., Wanchi,-For account of the concerned.

Ex " OVERMANN," BF \$3,956, 1 case containing 25 gross Matches (200 ea.) cases, each containing 25

gross Matches (150 ca.) For another account: 13 cases, each containing 25 gross Matches (200 ea.) Hinside t'gle 11 cases, each containing 25 gross Matches (200 ea.) All more or less damaged by sea water.

TERMS OF SALE. Cash before delivery

in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, January 24, 1868. PUBLIC AUCTION. GENERAL WEEKLY SALE. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY, he 28th January, 1868, at Noon, at their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-5 cases Bryant & Mays' Safety Mat-

Bryant & Mays Victoria Mat-Revolvera. . Revolver Cartridges. 200 dozen White Cotton Socks.

50 boxes Toilet Soap. 75 " Candles. 5 cases Prime Cheese, small size. 5 York Hams. 40 drums Boiled Linseed Oil.

2 bales Roping Twine. 50 kegs Iron Nails. 5 casks American Butter, 10 pieces White Flaunel. 10 , Colored Do.

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30 casks quarts Ale. 20 , do. Stont. 15 , pints Stout. 1 case Solace Tobacco. And a variety of other GOODS.

TERMS,—Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, January 24, 1868. DOWRA & Co. have received instruc-

D tions from F. S. HUFFAM, Esq., Official Assignee, to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on

WEDNESDAY. 29th January, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M., on the Premises, known as "Beauregard," Bank. The whole of the Elegant Household FURNITURE, comprising: Drawing Room, Dining Room and Bed Room

At or about 1 p.m., The HOUSE and GROUNDS. Further particulars will be made known in a future advertisement, and Catalogues of the furniture will be issued prior to

day of sale. TERMS OF SALE - Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 All Lots with all faults and errors description whatsoever at purchaser's risk

upon fall of the hammer. Hongkong, January 22, 1868. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received inebructions to sell by Public Auction, on account of whom it concerns, on THURSDAY 30th instant, at 10 A.M., in the Godowns of Mesers Hadebons & Co., Stanley St.,

Ex " RED DEER,"

327/328, 2 cases, each containing 6 pieces Fine Dark-blue MEDIUM CLOTH More or less damaged by sea water.

TERMS OF SALE. Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1. Goods to be taken delivery of immediately after the Auction, with all faults and errors of description. F. BLACKHEAD & Co.,

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above mentioned places are purchased or remitted for collection. Further information as to the rules of business may be obtained at the office. on application by letter to the manager. Office hours :- 10 to 3, Saturdays 10 to 1.

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N and after this date all Persons having CLAIMS against the BANK are requested to transmit the same to A. McCat-MAN, Esq., of the AGRA BANK LIMITED,

NOTICE. Style of SHERIFF & Co. in Bombay, instead

Hongkong, November 8, 1867.

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& Co .- Public Accountants Co., Bombay. JAMES JOSEPH MACKENZIE, Esq., late of

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The Bank discounts Local Bills, and

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WILLIAM JACKSON, Manager. 2, Queen's Road, February 27, 1867. tf. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

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Hongkong, . VIOTOR KRESSER, Esq. Shanghae, DAVID MACLEAN, Esq. LIONDON BANKERS. - London and County

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chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

For Agra and Masterman's Bank Lt-

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr MERALLY DEVRUMSETEROY, in our of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and the training and the training training the training training to the training training training the training trainin of VALLY MAHOMED ALLOODHOY as hereto-

EDWARD MORRISS, Attorney,

Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

STEAM FOR Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle,

Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton;

Bombay, Madras, Calcutta, and Australia.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CUMPANY'S, Steam-ship "BENARES," Captain McCultoon, wi Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on SATURDAY, 1st February, at 2 P.M. CARGO will be received on board until 5 P.M on the 31st Instant; SPECIE unti Noon on the 1st February, and PARCEL

until 5 P.M. on the 31st January. For particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Houte is required by the Eyyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading; or with Purcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrect ness in such declaration

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, January 16, 1868.



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IMPERIALES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. INDIA AND CHINA LINES, HONGKONG ACENCY STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ,

ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES, Ac80; BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS,

AND CALCUTTA, HE departure of the Company's steam ship "DONNAI" is Postponed until shortly after the arrival of the Steamer DUPLEIX" expected from Shanghai or or about the 28th instant



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK. CITEAMERS of this line will leave Hong

kong for Yokohama and San Francisco Great Republic, on or about Jan. 14. Capt. DOANE. China, Captain Feb 24. SMITH, .... Colorado, Capt. ,, ,, Mar. 16. Great Republic,

Capt. DOANE, 39 19 .... Apr. 16. Costa Rica will leave Shanghai Jan. 15th, Feb. 25th, Mar. 17th, April 17th, connecting at Yokohama with above named Stea-

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for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Function. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports and St. Nazairo, France. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West,

Bongkopg, November 28, 1867.

GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent,

NORTH AMERICAN STEAM-SHIP CO. SAN FRANCISCO

VIA PANAMA AND NICARAGUA.

HE N. A. S. S. Co. will despatch regularly by both of the above Routes, their elegant and commodious Steam-ships "OREGONIAN "NEVADA" "NE BRASKA," "AMERICA," and "MOSES TAYLOR;" connecting on the Atlantic with the splendid Steam-ships "FULTON," "ARAGO," "DAKOTA," "SANTIAGO"

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The Office of the Company is 103, Battery

Street, N.W., Corner of Pine St., up-stairs, where for further information, apply to J. W. RAYMOND,

### San Francisco, Dec. 4, 1867.

Steam Tugs. NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 H. P. NOMINAL. With disconnecting Engines. PHIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Borth Vessels in Harbour, or Tow them to or from Sea. For particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or to the Office of the Company, -d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong.

JUHN S. LAPRAIK.

J. B. ENDICOTT,

Hongkong, October 13, 1866. NOTICE, UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG-KONG AND WHAMPOA,

(LIMITED. STEAM TUG "LITTLE ORPHAN." MHIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in this Harbour, or to Tow them to or from Sea. For Particulars, apply at the Company's Office, Pedder's Wharf, Prays, Hougkong,

Hongkong, October 12, 1865.

or to the Captain on Board.

Shipping. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steam-ship Captain Ashron, will leave for the above Ports on Wed-YESSO. nesday, the 29th instant, at 8 A.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, January 24, 1868. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The S. S.

Capt. PITMAN, will have immediate despatch for the above For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

FOR YOKOHAMA. The A 1 Prassian Schooner Capt. Sass, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, "ZWEY GEBRUDER," will have quick despatch,

For Freight or Passage, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, January 17, 1868. FOR SINGAPURE. The Fine British barque will have quick despatch for the

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despatch as above.

NOWROJEE & Co. Hongkong, January 20, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 Amer. Clipper-ship A JAMES GUTHRIE, " Master, having the greater part of her Cargo engaged, will have quick

Hongkong, January 15, 1868. FOR MANILA. The Spanish Barque will have quick despatch. "VIEGEN DEL CARMEN,"

Hongkong, December 16, 1867. FOR SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The British Ship Capt. Sydsener, will have in-mediate despatch for the above "JOSHUA BATES,"

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hougkong, December 31, 1867.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

FOR NEW YORK. The A.1 Hamburg Barque poa for the above Port, and has room for a limited amount of Cargo, for which, apply

Hongkong, January 2, 1868,

OLYPHANT & Co.

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FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 Hamburg Burque LORENZEN, Master, 588 Tons Register, will load at Whampon for the above port, and has room for a limited amount of Cargo; for which, apply

Shipping.

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, January 6, 1868.

### Notices to Consignees.

"GRESHAM" PROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of C M B, 1 case Merchandise, are hereby informed that the same has been landed and stored in the godowns of the Undersigned at Consignees' risk and expense.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, January 16, 1868.

"VIRGEN DEL CARMEN," PROM MANILA. NONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-

named Vessel, will please send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at the risk and

expense of the Consignees. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES CO. NOTICE. THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take im-

Mediate delivery :-Ex Alphee, 7th September. H M & Co. 1. ... 1 case Sundries.

Ex Tigre, 5th December. ... 1 bosket Feathers. Ex Donnai, 7th January, 1868. ... 1 case paper.

C. BERTRAND Principal Agent. Hongkong, January 20, 1867.

### Notices f Firms.

ATE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

OTICE is hereby given that the Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr C. Jameson in our Firm ceased on the 30th September last.

The Business will in future be carried on by Mr Z. BARTON under the Name or Style of Jameson & Barton, as heretofore. JAMESON & BAUTUN. Hongkong, January 2, 1808.

S my Engagement ceases in May next all outstanding Accounts for the past Two Years must be sont in immediately for

MARY HASTELOW RANDLE Superintendent Diocesan School

Hongkong, January 2, 1868. NOTICE. HE Business of the Undersigned will be carried on at Peddar's Hill. Mr

EDMUND R. HOLMES having retired from GEO HOLMES Ship and General Broke

Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

MAESSRS. H. P. M. WACHTELS and H IVI ALPHE ORTMANS ceased to be Partners in our Firm since the 31st December

Nagasaki, January 1, 1868. NOTICE, HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr on the 31st day of December, 1867.

A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, ceased A. FERGUSON & Co. Hongkoug, January 3, 1868. NOTICE.

INOM and after this date Mr GEORGE F BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this S. L. PHELPS,

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

NOTICE. Y Business, as Ship and Insurance

111 Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. HOOK, SON & Co. J. 5. HOOK

Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under the Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER. Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A FEROUSON in our Firm ceased on the 1st day of November, 1866. A. FERGUSON & Co.

HE Business will be henceforth carried on under the same Name by the Un-A. D. MITCHELL,

J. D. MEYERS, and HENRY FEHRS. Hongkong, December 16, 1867. - de 16-68

NOTICE.

FROM and after this date, Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port. H. J. DRING,

Marine Surveyor. Foodhow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE. 1171TH reference to the above, VV business hitherto carried on H. J. DRING, Esq. at Foochow will be conducted by the Undersigned. J. C. SAUNDERS,

Chop. Min, Payoda Anchorage,

Fonobow, August 1, 1867,

### Notices of Firms.

THE Partnership hitherto existing between Dorinino do Rozanio, Alexan-DRE MARCAL, JR and ANTONIO DOS SANTOS in the Printing Office at Foochow, was dissolved on the 12th November, 1837. ROZARIO & Co.

Foochow, November 16, 1867. WITH reference to the above, the Business hitherto carried on by Messrs Rozanio & Co. as Printers in Foochow,

will be conducted by the Undersigned, who have this day established themselves as Printers under the Firm of Rozablo, Mar-AL & Co.

DORINDO DO ROZARIO. ALEXANDRE MARCAL, JR. Foochow, November 16, 1867.

URING the absence of Mr J. H. LADD I) from the Colony, Mr T. CUSHING Lann is authorised to sign our firm per procuration. LADD & Co.

Hongkong, January 16, 1868. 1 R. THOMAS PYKE has this day been I admitted a Partner in our Firm. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE RRYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co.

Nagasaki, January 1, 1867. NOTICE. THE interest and responsibility of Mr.

I. W. C. VAN OORDT in our firm ceased on the 1st January, 1866. BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, November 19, 1867.

Have this day established myself as a General Commission Merchant under the style or firm of Van Corpt & Co. W. O. VAN OURDT. Yokohama, October 24, 1867.

NOTICE. HAVE this day commenced Business as Ship Broker. S. L. HEINEMANN.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868. ELARL & ELORUZ.

General & Commission Agents. NAGASAKI.

HE Interest and Responsibility of Mi W. A. STURROOK in our Firm ceased vesterday by lapse of time.

Amoy, January 1, 1863.

insurances.

THE SWISS LLOYD. transport Insurance Company of Winterthur INHE Undersigned having been appointted General Agents for China of the above named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Sca Risks on the SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, January I, 1867.

> REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR

FIRE INSURANCE. THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EF-PROTS, therein contained,

In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. For Aunum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to Une-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-

SURANCE on the various classes of Building and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :--Detached and semi-detached

Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their ther Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their

Contents. per cent. First Class China House and their Contents, la per cent. Other Risks as per special arrangemen ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

LIFE ASSURANCE. THE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue LIFE

Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board, ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hougkong, January 6, 1865.

HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYA: INSUR ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against Fire as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong,

\$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. 'HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSUKANCE FFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual cornis, payable in case of lose, in China, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, OR LONDON, ROB. S. WALKER & Co. .

Hongkong, June 17, 1864. REDUCTION

IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE. THE Undersigned have received Instruction to REDUCE Rates for Fire Ingu-RANGE for short periods as follows :-On Policies not exceeding

I month from | per cent to | per cent. to l ROB S. WALKER & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Horgkong, August 71, 1866.

insurances.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. FIRE AND LIFE. CAPITAL, £2,000,000. (LIFE DEPARTMENT.)

( ) per Cent. per Annum Bonus declared La during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the

settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned

vithout referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England. Fees to Medical Referees paid by the

No forfeiture of Policy from uninten-Promiums payable Half-yearly or Anmally at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of

£100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a permament resident in Europe :-

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N.B. Intermediate ages charged propor-For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

YANGTZE INSUKANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAE.

DIVIDEND of (8 per cent) Eight per cent has been declared on the net Premia contributed to the above Association for the year ending 30th September,

Policy holders will please send in partiulars of their contributions to that date to the Undersigned. RUSSELL & Co.,

Secretaries. Hougkong, September 10, 1866. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY

SAN FRANCISCO PHE Undersigned, gents for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 6, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSUF.

ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current LUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above amed Company are prepared to grant Poicies against SEARISKS, at currentrates.

RUSSELL & Co.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAL

Hongkong, April 1, 1865.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Fouchow and Shanghai.

In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year. lifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided prograta to the amount of premium paid by each poicy-holder.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1807.

ANGIZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per cent has been declared on the Net Promia contributed to the above Association for the year ending 30th September, 1866.

Policy HOLDERS will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, September 7, 1867. REDUCTION OF RATES. THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Short period Risks at the following Reduced Scale, viz :--

Above 1 month and not exceeding 3, ... } Above 3 months and not exceeding 6, ... \$ Above 6 months and not exceeding 12, the annual rate

Not exceeding I mouth, a of the annual rate

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Agents, China Fire Insurance Company, Hongkong, August 7, 1866.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents of the above Company at this ort, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

REDUCTION OF RATES. HE Undersigned are prepared to accept Short period Risks at the following Reduced Scale, viz :---Not exceeding I month, i of the annual rate Above II mouth and

not exceeding 3, ... 1 Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 .... Above 6 months and not exceeding 12, the annual rate GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company,

Hougkong, August 7, 1866.

## insurances.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. ETACHED and Semi-de-J tached Dwelling Houses removed from Town, and

their Contents. d per cent Other Dwelling Houses, used strictly as such, and their Contents.

Godowns, Offices, Shops, and . 1 per cent. their Contents. . GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents China Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 7, 1866.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURINCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, August 24, 1864. ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1838. CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents to China, - Messes. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong, Medical Referee, - J. Ivon MURRAY. I HE Undersigned having been appointed

pany are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of proposals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE BEARD & Co. Managing Agents in China

Hongkong, June, 1867.

Managing Agents for the above Com-

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms, HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

> THE QUEEN INSUR NCE COMPANY,

CAPITAL, -Two MILLION STERLING.

Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, either at this Port, or at Macao, Canton of Whaninos, to the extent of £15,000, in any one Risk upon Buildings or Merchandize, HULLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, June 8, 1867. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. HE following Reduced Rates will charged in future for Short period In-

urances, viz :--One wonth, ... ... } per cent JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insur

ALCUCES, 4

Hongkong, August 6, 1866.

PUBLIC AUCTION. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co, will hold a Horse and Carriage Auction, by the kind permission of the Commandant of the Garrison, on the Parade' Ground,

TUESDAY. the 28th January, at 4.30 o'clock P.M.

When the following will be offered for Salc, namely :very fine and elegant English built CARRIAGE, with Poleshafts for a double or single Harness.

double Harness. new, elegant and very light COUPE, for a pair of Ponies (or single), with Pole and Shafts, very handsomely fitted with Looking Glass and Silk Cushions, and built by LE FORT & Co., Paris.

4-wheeled CARRIAGE, in good rehandsome and powerful Grey Australian HORSE, quite sound, and eminently suited for Saddle. Bay Arab HORSE, suitable for driv-

ing or Saddle. Together with any Additions of the kind that may offer prior to the Sale. Lotting and advertising will be charged \$1 each lot sold or unsold.

TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots with all faults and errors of desciption to be at purchaser's risk from the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, January 27, 1868.

New Idvertisensens.

SMALL White Manila DOG from the A Residence of the Undersigned. finder will be rewarded if Lecessary, RIYNAL & Co.

Stanley Street, No. 18.

Hongkong, January 27, 1868. FOR SALE. COPPER SHEATHING, from 16 to 28 | 19, Fusiyame, from Shanghai, Oz. with NAILS. THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

FOR SALE. 150 CASES Martinel' Aromatic BIT-TERS, superior quality. 100 cases SHERRY. 100 , PORT. MULLER & CLAUSSEN.

TO AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS. TUST arrived, and for Sale. A few complete Sets of PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, with instructions. Apply to

FLOYD & Co.,

Photographers.

Hongkong, January 18, 1869,

Hongkong, January 16, 1868,

## New Advertisements.

OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION.

BRITISH CONSULATE, CANTON, 22nd January, 1868. The undersigned has the henor to make public, for the information of the British. community at this port, the accompanying Credits 6 despatch from His Excellency Sir Ruther- On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 219 ford Alcock, K.C.B., H.M.'s Minister in China, with its enclosure, urging on British subjects the necessity of great caution in the acceptance from the Chinese of written guarantees commonly called "Security Mexicans.

> D. B. ROBERTSON, H. B. M.'s Consul

Copy, Circular No. 15. Paking, October 27, 1867. Sir. -I have to call attention to a notification issued by Mr Consul Medhurst, copy of which is herewith enclosed for your H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 8 per cent pm. information. It conveys a useful warning to British subjects as to the necessity of great caution in the acceptance from the Chinese of written guarantees commonly called "Security Chops." The difference between the Chinese law and customs and our own on this head renders them in great degree, as experience has shewn valueless, and for any security they practically afford useless without there is other and collateral security. It would be well therefore to ensure publicity to the enclosed within your jurisdiction, as a fair exposition of the actual conditions which limit the value of such guarantees in any appeal to the Chinese authorities for execution,

Your obedient servant (Signed) RUTHERFORD ALCOCK. D. B. Robertson, Esq., C.B. H. B.M.'s Consul, Canton.

ENCLOSURE. The Undersigned desires to call the attention of British bubjects in this port to the necessity of exercising great caution in the acceptance from the Chinese of written guarantees, commonly called "counity Chops." The experience of the past two years, during which numerous suits have been instituted in this Consular Court, with almost unvarying ill success, against Chinese sureties who have failed to fulfil their written guarantees, sufficiently proves that such documents, in this part of China at any rat are comparatively worthless for the purpose for which they are given and taken-namely, the additional protection of the obliges from risk or loss. This is to be accounted for, not from any informality in the documents themselves, but from the fact that the Chinese are in the habit of regarding a surely rather in the light of a erson who comes forward to recommend his principal, or to assist him towards the attainment of some cherished object, such as a loan, place, &c., than as an individual who binds himself to stand to all intents and purposes in the ateas of his principal and to fulfil all his obligations with and for him, to prevalent is this qualified idea of the position and duties of guarantee, that it is a common practice here for a surety to receive a consideration for the use of his name, with the understanding that no individual responsibility fellows upon the process. The Chinese authorities moreover have been found to support this view, for they have always persistently avoided acting upon the principle that a surety is to be regarded as equally responsible with his principal for all the obligations entered into by the latter, which the former undertakes shall be fulfilled; and they plead in excuse that Chinese Judicial practice, always careful to treat a surety when involved through the misconduct of his principal with peculiar lenity, and will not allow of his being prosecuted or pressed until the ability of the principal to make good all defalcations himself is despaired of, no matter how stringent

or how positive the terms in which the guarantee may be drawn up. would therefore recommend his countrymen. on which to full back in case of need, or to avoid placing that entire reliance on them which they are accustomed to accord to similar instrument

W. H. MEDHURST, Consul. BRITISH CONSULATE. Hankow, 24th une, 1867.

CLEARED.

Johanna Smide, for Stagon, Fusinama, for Whampon. Occanica, for Manila. Vulcan, for Nagasaki. Richard Cabden, for Bumbay. POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATION

"FULCAN," will be closed to morro w, the 28th instant, at 9.30 A M. UNDER DESPATCH. For Nagasaki -Per Vulcan, to-morro 28th just., at 10 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. -Per Yeaso, on Wednesday next, the 29th hist.

A supplementary mail for Nagataki, per

FO-CHOW SHIPPING. From Alesers Gilman & Co.'s semi-mont y Shipping List, Lloyda' Agents, Foochow, lat January, 1868:—

8. Japan, from Keching. 8. Opessum, from Amoy. 10. Miaca, from Shanghai 11, Forest Belle, from Shanghai. 11. Albert, from Hongkong, 11, Corsair, from Swatow. 12. Lansdowne, from Shanghai, 12, Yronne, from Chefoo. 13, Yesso, from Hongkong, 13. Fenella, from Shanghai, 4. Frince Kung, from Shanghai, 19, Undine, from Hongkong.

8 Niphon, for Hougkong, General. 8, Douglas, for Houghoug, General, 8. Fusiyama, for Shanghai, General 8, A. E. Vidal, for British Channel for orders, 426,855 lbs. Tea. 9, Island Queen, for Shanghai, General 9, Peterborough, for L'don, 787, 950 lbs Tea 15, Yesso, for Hongkong, General. 16, Plata, for Singapore, General.

10, Fenella, for Shanghai, General. 21; Undine, for Hongkong, General, 21, Fusiyama, for Longkong, General. 21, Prince Kung, for Shanghai, General. VESSELS IN THE HIVER MIN. Woosing, Opossum, J. C Miniro, Japan, Forest Belle, Albert, Corsair, Lansdowne,

16, Mlaca, for Shanghai, General,

17, Beemah, for London, Tea.

# QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong, 27th January, 1868. OPIUM.-Patna, New, ... \$680 Benares, New, Malwa, ...

Exchange. Bank, 6 months sight. , Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 218 a 2181 , Shanghao, 3 days' sight Bank, Tis. 72 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., ... 111 per c. pre. Gold Leaf, ... 23.60 per tael Gold Bar, 98 touch, English Sovereigns, .... Australian Sovereigns, Gas Company Shares, 40 per Share. H. & W. poa dock, Old, 25 per cent pn. New, 15 per cent pm. do. New. 1

Union Dock Shares ... 20 per cent die Temperature.

Honokono, 27th January, 1868. Barometer, ... 30.216 30.126 Attached Thermometer, 61 Dry Bulb, ... Vet Bulb. Maximum S. Rgr., Minimum S. Rgr., ... 54.0 Max. Sun's Rays, Minimum on Grass, ... 48.0 Previous | Rain on Grove, 0.00 Anours, ) .,, above, ... Force, ... ... ...

### NUTES & QUERIES

CHINA & JAPAN.

Orders for bound Copies of the 1st Volume of this work will be received by the undersigned.—Price \$5. C. A. SAINT.

China Mail Office. Hongkong, January 20, 1868,

TO CORRESPONDENTS. Our columns are open to all who wish to address the public on legitimate grounds, but we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinious of our correspondents. All communications addressed to this paper

must be accompanied by the name of the

ender, not necessarily for publication, but as

a guarantee of good faith.

### THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, JAN. 27, 1868.

THE China Mail and the "half dozen missionaries" who opposed His Excellenwhilst admitting the liability of a surety for the cy's gambling policy, can afford to smile acts and defaults of his principal, is nevertheless at the article in the Press of this morning. But his Excellency, we regret to say, is not so fortunately circumstanced. He has reason to pray that he may be saved from his professed friends. Our personal respect for Sir R. MacDonnell would lead us to consign to oblivion what His Under these circumstances, it is clear that it Excellency now perceives was a serious is not desirable to regard Chinese "Securit ; political mistake on his part. It is not, Chops" in the light of solemn guarantees, to by however, an irretrievable one; and we but that they should always be accepted with are not without hope that the political that reservation, both as regards construction escutcheon of a gentleman who has and intention, which seems inseparable from | rendered to his country good and faithsuch instruments according to Chinese habit of ful service in other parts of the world, will soon be relieved from the blot that when taking such documents, either to see that is now on it. His foolish henchman will they are protected by some collateral security | alone be to blame if the blot is kept in

#### THE LICENSED GAMBLING POLICY.

WE copy the following remarks from the Pall Mall Gazette of Dec. 5 :-

It is wholesome to be reminded, whilst inveighing against motes in the eyes of others, that we have a beam or two in our own! The licensed gaming-houses of Germany and Monaco deserved'y draw down contempt and reprobation upon the puny Governments which condescend to derive revenues from such sources, and by no nation are they more frequently and sternly condeme od than by the Fuglish. What explanation, therefore, can we give to those whom we have been lecturing so loftily for their sordid immorality, of the fact which came out during a conversation between Lord Taunton and the Duke of Buckingham on Tuesday night in the Bouse of Lords, that England has herself licensed gaminghouses too ! In Heligoland, at the mouth of the Elbe, an island much frequented during the summer season by bathers and pleasure-seckers from Hamburg, the British Government in 1800 conceded, for a consideration, a lease to a secrety of gamblers until 1871; and the citizens of Hamburg complain bifterly that their sens and clorks are allured thither to the serious injury of their interests and prospects. At Hongkong, too, there are amnerous gaminghouses licensed by the British Government, and a correspondence has for some time past been going on between the Colonial Office and the Governor of the tolony, who is anxious to enlarge the Government contract with the Chinese gamblers, for the extraordinary reason that, if gainbling is not officially encouraged in Hongkong, the police of the colony will certainly be demoralized by the enormity of the bribes which will be offered to induce them to wink at it, It is due to the Duke of Buckingham to state that he is deeply ashamed that England should have such a blot on her escutcheon, and that he is doing his best to efface it ; but in Hellgoland, his Grace tells na, the orphanage of the island-a small affair we conjecture—is entirely supported by the profits of range of noir, and in Hongkong the Governor and the community are strongly in favour of licensed gambling-Jiouses, in the hope of obtaining from a revenue which will enable the general taxation of the colony to be diminished.

used with a qualification, which we shall

HYDROGRAPHIC CARE, THE loss of the steam transport Bo rus, near Zitzikanima point, call strong comment. The proverbial lessness of the Admiralty authoriti neglecting to provide ships with sailing directions and charts, has bee often noticed to be any novelty t great mass of newspaper-readers eitl home or in the colonies. But in deration of the remarkable disclo elicited at the enquiry upon the lo the vessel, and of the fact that short time since H. M. S. Orpheus similar fate from similar causes, comes worth while to enquire what sures are being taken to avert such trophes in this part of the world. the evidence adduced at, and subseq ly to, the court held upon Ca Alexander, it appears that the follo vessels have been lost in the same bourhood ;-the French ship L'Aig 1850; the British ship Queen of the upon the same night and at this spot; the French ship l'Augusts in the Lady Head in 1858; and the C last year. Furthermore the Runna abandoned some 70 miles off the was drifted to the same spot by the currents. And yet with all this m painful experience before it, the I graphic department of the Britis miralty deliberately issues the Adm Chart for 1864, No. 596, instead later edition of 1867; while, to the disgraceful neglect which has c terized the whole matter, the

English Edition of Horsburgh's

directions totally ignores the notic

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We in China have not of cou

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French translation of 1861!

No. 1450 - JANUARY 27,

hereafter indicate, for the informati

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the military contribution question.

AN ARCHITECTURAL LESS

WE hear upon good authority that

French authorities at Saigon have

a most wise and politic step, as re

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Chesne, the French Consul at this

has been charged by Vice Admiral

Grandiere to make certain propos

Mr Hermitte, the architect of the

Hall, which will result in his leaving

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our contemporary of Pall Mall.

South African coast, as those cou with the Cape Colony, but there vertheless two points of view in. we cannot remain unaffected by the lessness exposed in the Cape paper sailing ocean route to China is sti spite the steam companies, of vast i ance, and vessels intending to to the Cape are liable to the same dar that in which the ill-fated Bosphon rished-as witness the loss of H Osprey, boundfrom Hongkong to En But yet more the neglect which p so well known and frequented a p of the world as the neighbourhood Cape of Good Hope to remain ciently piloted and charted is excee likely, to extend its carclesaness comparatively unknown a coast a bordering the China Sea. We are aware of the valuable services now rendered by the Sylvia and Rift surveying ships, and that the rest their labours are from time to time to the naval world in the form of p circulars. But we venture to exp doubt whether any vessel in these possesses a record of all the availab formation which has been placed cord respecting their navigation dangerous currents near Cape Zitz ma had been more than once allud and expatiated upon by the Cape but as Admiralty cheese-paring do authorize a subscription to local papers, and Naval officers gen entertain an idea that they can but little from their perusal, comments and information passed u and unnoticed. We venture to: that the Naval denartment would considerably benefitted by the in ation which so constantly appears. the head of "shipping reports" in nial papers all over the world, an excision and placing on record competent officer of the often va remarks afforded by masters of the cautile Marine would result at the of a year in a visible and usoful acc to hydrographic knowledge. The ledge moreover that the hydrogr department of the station received noted copies of all interesting re would lead the masters of Merchan sels to take additional care in their paration and to anthenticate the their signatures instead of, as is some the case, leaving shipping reporte gather as much or as little as they from a conversation with the officer & hasty reference to the official log.

the China coast especial facilities

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the Royal and mercantile marine We trust that an inexcusable ignor of any particular fact on the part of Naval authorities in China, will The words "the community" must be result in a catastrophe so sad as th the loss of the Bosphorus,

in Junuary, 1868.

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40 per Share. Old, 25 per cent pni. New, 15 per cent pm; s. Old, 8 per cent pm. 20 per cent die. rature.

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C. A. SAINT.

PONDENTS.

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### NA MAIL.

Y, JAN. 27, 1868.

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O GAMBLING

ig remarks from the

be reminded, whilst otes in the eyes of. beam or two in our ming-houses of Gerserved'y draw downtion upon the puny condescend to derive sources, and by no frequently and sternthe Fuglish What can we give to those eturing so loftily for , of the fact which conversation between Duke of Buckingham the Louse of Lords, self licensed gamingcolund, at the month id much frequented esson by bathers and Hamburg, the British conceded, for a consecrety of gamblers citizens of Hamburg their sons and clerks the serious injury of ospects. At Hong-Junerous gaming-British Government, lias for some time between the Colonial r of the tolony, who ie Government congamblers, for the exif gambling is not a Hongkong, the pocertainly be demoraof the bribes which ce them to wink at it. uke of Buckingham leeply ashamed that such a blot on her e is doing his best to oland. his Grace tells the island-a small s entirely supported t wir, and in Hongthe community are f licensed gamblingobtaining from a reble the general taxbe diminished.

ommunity" must be tion, which we shall

bareafter indicate, for the information of our contemporary of Pall Mall. It will to found to have a material bearing on

the military contribution question. IN ARCHITECTURAL LESSON

We hear upon good authority that the French authorities at Saigon have taken /s most wise and politic step, as regards both the pockets of the government and the comfort of official residents. M. du Chesne, the French Consul at this port. has been charged by Vice Admiral de la Grandiere to make certain proposals to Mr Hermitte, the architect of the City Hall, which will result in his leaving by the Donnai for Saigon, where he will study the best form of building (combining use, elegance, and healthiness) for Cochin China. Had a similar agent been despatched to the Consular ports previous to the erection of the Consular buildings and offices, some of the unsightly blocks which now exist would have been substituted by more reasonable erections and much public money would have been

HYDROGRAPHIC CARE: THE loss of the steam transport Bosphorus, near Zitzikamma point, calls for strong comment. The proverbial carelessness of the Admiralty authorities in neglecting to provide ships with proper siling directions and charts, has been too deration of the remarkable disclosures elicited at the enquiry upon the loss of the ressel, and of the fact that but a short time since H. M. S. Orpheus met a smiler fate from similar causes, it bemmes worth while to enquire what mensures are being taken to avert such catastrophes in this part of the world. By the evidence adduced at, and subsequently to, the court held upon Captain Alexander, it appears that the following ressels have been lost in the same neighupon the same night and at the same mot; the French ship [Auguste in 1857: the Lady Head in 1858; and the Osprey last year. Furthermore the Runnymede. shandoned some 70 miles off the coast. painful experience before it, the Hydrographic department of the British Admiralty deliberately issues the Admiralty Chart for 1884, No. 596, instead of the later edition of 1867; while, to add to the disgraceful neglect which has characterized the whole matter, the latest English Edition of Horsburgh's sailing directions totally ignores the notice contained on the very subject of the dangerous currents in this locality by the

French translation of 1861 1 We in China have not of course so vivid an interest in the navigation of the South African coast, as those connected with the Cape Colony, but there are nevertheless two points of view in which we cannot remain unaffected by the caresailing ocean route to China is still. spite the steam companies, of vast importauce, and vessels intending to touch at the Cape are liable to the same danger as Cape of Good Hope to remain insufficiently piloted and charted is exceedingly comparatively unknown a coast as that bordering the China Sea. We are quite aware of the valuable services now being rendered by the Sylvia and Riftsman, cord respecting their navigation.

surveying ships, and that the results of their labours are from time to time given to the naval world in the form of printed doubt whether any vessel in these seas possesses a record of all the available information which has been placed on redangerous currents near Cape Zitzikamma had been more than once alluded and expatiated upon by the Cape papers, but as Admiralty cheese-paring does not authorize a subscription to local newspapers, and Naval officers generally entertain an idea that they can learn considerably benefitted by the information which so constantly appears under Cantile Marine would result at the end of a year in a visible and useful accession their signatures instead of, as is sometimes the case, leaving shipping reporters to gather as much or as little as they chose from a conversation with the officers, or hasty reference to the official log. On the China coast especial facilities exist all within the ordinary scope of Naval men, and were more interest evinced in Its collection the benefit would extend to the Royal and mercantile marine alike. We trust that an inexcusable ignorance of any particular fact on the part of the

haval authorities in China, will not

result in a catastrophe so sad as that of

the loss of the Bosphorus,

LOCAL.

THE Band of the 73rd Regt. will perform in the Public Gardens on Tuesday, the 28th Instant, commencing at 4 o'clock P.M. The following is the programme :--

OVERTURE, ..... Zampa," QUADRILLE, .... St. Patricks." Laurent SEL'TION, "Luciadi Lummermoor" Donizetti. VALSE, ..... Die Elfen Reigen" .... Gung'l POLKA MAZURKA,... Violetta,"..... Faust. M. E. TROY, Band Sergt., Conductor.

TO-DAY'S POLICE. Two cases of street gambling were brought

before Mr May this morning, including five Chinese, who were each fine \$1. Two suspicious characters were disposed of, one by imprisonment for three months and a security, and the other (a young boy) with twenty strokes on the breech.

John Johnson, seaman of St. China, was charged with the old offence-drunk and disorderly, in addition to assault on the Police. P.C. 70 deposed to the "drunk" and the personal damage received; and His Worship gave prisoner the option of paying 60s. or going to hard gaol labor for one

coolie, was charged with having assaulted ry, 1868, at 3 P.M. another Chinaman, and stolen from his person a purse containing \$3, together with a cap and a pair of boots. His Wor- tal, of \$93,210.43, from which will have to ship ordered the No. of the chair to be be deducted the following sums, viz., bahanded to the Registrar General, and the lance of claims at the fire of the 28th Novholder thereof he seut to Gaol for six | ember last, not yet paid, \$19,793.44; Com-

A gun Lascar having broken a number of not yet paid, 5,317.84; one year's office eggs for sale by a poor hawker in Canton rent to 31st December, 1867, not yet paid, often noticed to be any novelty to the Bazaar after being refused credit, broke \$1,200=\$26,311.28, leaving the sum of great mass of newspaper-readers either at the hawker's head on being asked to pay \$66,899.15 to the Credit of the Company home or in the colonies. But in consi- for the same. His Worship lectured the after payment of all losses and charges, and prisoner on the evil influence of soldiers exclusive of capital. The total nett loss In-patients, (3 months). and policemen having quarrels with Chi- sustained by the Company at the fire of the nese shopkeepers; and then ordered him to 28th November hat in Hongkong was pay a fine of \$5 or go to gaol for ten days. \$88,951.60. A sum of \$63,000 is now de-

house appeared to charge the master of the the rate of (6%) six per cent. per annum. passage-hoat trading between West Point Eighteen shares have been allotted during and Wanchi with having received the price | the past year and the capital account with of a load of charcoal supplied by a West the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank now Point hong, without having any authority stands at \$81,000. Although the position for so doing. The offence was discovered of the Company, as shewn by the accounts, by the seller of the charcoal calling for his is highly satisfactory and would admit of money. Prisoner, according to complain- the declaration of a dividend, the Commitbourhood :- the French ship l'Aigle in ant, receipted a bill produced. His Wor- tee are of opinion that in the permanent 1850; the British ship Queen of the West ship asked complainant if defendant was interests of the Shareholders it would be trate suggested that defendant might be a the whole amount be carried forward to respectable man, he being master of a passage new account. boat; and that it was less probable that complainant was so respectable, seeing that was drifted to the same spot by the local he was accountant to a gambling-house. A currents. And yet with all this mass of grin of surprise but satisfaction passed over several Celestial faces as this remark fell from the Bench. He (his Worship) would much sooner believe that defendant did not get the money; or, in other words, that the gambling accountant was telling a falsehood. At all events, it was not a criminal Act : and the gambling accountant could settle it, if he chose, at the Summary Court. Defendant was discharged.

A Chinaman with a most "bang-dog" expression of countenance was charged with stealing a valuable jacket from complainant on Friday evening last, in Taipingshan. Sergt. Telfer stated that he saw the robbery, and gave chase to the prisoner, who dropped the bundle, and gave him a long race for it : he jumped a 12-feet wall, and was caught in the strand. Prisoner admitted having seen a man running with a bundle, but swore that he was a stranger to him he was himself a hawker of congee, A lessness exposed in the Cape papers. The | woman appeared who said that she did not know that he had been a thief for the last month at least. His Worship said that the prisoner would be treated leniently, and

sent him three months to gaol. that in which the ill-fated Bosphorus pe- On Saturday afternoon last, the praiseworrished—as witness the loss of H.M.S. thy desire of a celestial to keep up the late Osprey, bound from Hongkong to England: Chinese festival led him to entertain a small But yet more the neglect which permits and select party of friends at the corner of so well known and frequented a portion a street, the treat consisting of a little quiet of the world as the neighbourhood of the gambling. But alas! for the calculations of our unfortunate friends. Chinaman deposes and policeman disposes. While the excitement of the game was at its height a likely to extend its carelessness to so native police peon crawled slily up and making a clever ponnce, seenred the "Chairman" in the midst of the proceedings; collecting together the cash, tetotun, &c., he (peon) turning to the assembled Chinamen, pointed to his prisoner as he marched him off exclaiming at the same time : "No one chin chin Joss."

circulars. But we venture to express a Our Whampon Correspondent writes under date January 24th :- Lest you think that Whampon during the past two months of almost incessant drought has "dried up" altogether, I hasten to apprize you that The this interesting locality, if not thriving, is still in existence. Comparatively speaking, I think I may be justified in saying that there has of late been quite a "spirt" in these "diggings," and that the Docking Interest has been "looking up," for awhile, At the Hougkong and Whampoa Docks, whereabouts I am in the habit of perambulating occasionally. - I noticed but a few but little from their perusal, the days since no less than four steamers in comments and information passed unread hand, viz, the Donnet the Flying Dragon, and unnoticed. We venture to assert the Douglas, and the United Service. They that the Naval department would be bave all left now, or are in the act of leaving, and half a dozen or so of sailing vessels are all that remain in the reach to be "lookers on in Whampoa," while the Cr. the head of "shipping reports" in Colo- natives celebrate their New Year to-morrow, nial papers all over the world and the and for a few more morrows to come. Thus excision and placing on record by a far this great "settling day" among the competent officer of the often valuable | Celestials has not been heralded by robremarks afforded by masters of the Mer- beries, and other crimes erst so common at this season, but it is difficult to say what the vagalouds may not effect in that particular "line" before their holiday has to hydrographic knowledge. The know- actually dawned. Since yesterday the ledge moreover that the hydrographic weather has set in cold and rain, and the department of the station received and thermometer has fallen from 70° to 62°. hoted copies of all interesting reports This, Mr Editor, is the entire budget of would lead the masters of Merchant ves news I have to convey on this occasion, tels to take additional care in their pre but I trust that I may soon be afforded paration and to authenticate them by of greater interest from their of greater interest from here.

THE POSTAL CONTRACT .- The following members voted against the new contract with the Peninsular and Ori utal Company: be provided for in the next year's Civil Mesers W. S. Allen A. S. Ayrton, J. Service Estimates. - London and China Te-Candlish, W. Graham, Q. Hadfield, Lord legraph or obtaining information which does not W. M. Hay, Messrs H. Jackson, G. Leeman, G. J. S. Lefevre, C. M. Norwood, C. Seely, M. W. Thompson, and the Hon. G. Harrinburg on November 3. H. Waldegrave Lielie. Tellers—Mr. M'Laren was caused by falling downstairs.

and Mr J. B. Smith. LADY ESMONDE, widow of the late Right Juaren has sent a commissioner to Was-Hon. Sir Thomas Esmonde, has, it is said, hington to negotiate a loan of \$12,000,000. bequeathed the sum of £30,000 to the board of Trinity College, Dublin, to build and been recalled in order to escort the body of undow's classical school in the county of the Emperor Maximilian on its arrival on a number of empty casks were placed under

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

> We requested to correct a slight advocate any proposition to accept marine | Kerr, M.D. risks in future. He merely remarked that | The notice calling the Meeting was read. as the Company terminated on 11th May, The minutes of the last Annual Meeting, steps with regard to the acceptance of risks | April 5th, were read and approved! insurances of such risks or to provide that follows :the new Company to be formed at the expiration of the present one should take

REPORT for presentation at the second Ordinary Meeting of Sharcholders to be held at the office of the Company in the Kon Atung, who purported to be a chair- Queen's Road, on Saturday the 25th Janua-

The annexed statements show a balance in favor of the Company, exclusive of capimissions to General Managers and Agenta posited with the Hougkong and Shanghai The accountant of the Wanchai Gambling- Banking Corporation, bearing interest at

WORKING ACCOUNT. From May, 1866 to 31st December, 1867. Chinking, Ningpo, Fouchow, Tientsin,

By Charges as follows :or Salaries of Assistants and Surveyor, Cost of maintaining Engine Advertisements, Stationsry, Printing &c. Lawyers' fees and legal expenses connected with the formation of the Subscriptions to the Fire Brigade in Shanghai. Office rent to 31st December 1866. By Account of Losses :-

For losses under policies Nos. 34, 45 and 213 at Eire in Hongkong on 30th October 1866, Damage to property on Yunlee's premises on oth February 1867. Fire at Morgan Lambert & Co. s godown on 28th November, 1867, ... Fire at Chas, Cohen's godown on the same date. \$11,895,00 Damage done to Chinese

property on the same By Ba'ance

BALANCE SHEET. Topaid up Capital on 162 shares, \$ 81,000.00 report of the building committee. Balance of working account transforred, By cash in hand, Bank in current : /:

with H'kong and S'hat " Capital " , Deposit , , 5 Shares in the China Fire. Insurance Company Cost of Steam Fire Engine,

Gen. Mangs. H'kong Fire Insur. Co. Hougkong, 25th January, 1868. A BRITISH CONSUL AT SAIGON .- We understand that the representations made to Lord Stanley on the subject of the appointment of a Consul at Saigon have pro-

(S'd) JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

duced a promise that the appointment will Mas. MARGARET STONE, aged 112 years, the oldest person in Pennsylvania, died in Harrinburg on November 3. Her death

A DESPATOR from Havana states that the coast of Austria.

IN CHINA. The Twenty-Ninth Annual Meeting of error which occurred in our morning this Society was held in Canton at the house report of the meeting of the Shareholders of Messra Olyphant & Co., on Wednesday, in the above Company. Mr Bosman is the 22nd day of January, 1868. Present represented to have said "that the new D. B. Robertson, Esq., C.B., H. B. M. office ought to accept Marine risks as well Consul, in the Chair; G. Nye, Jr., Esq.; as those against fire. He would therefore R. Von Carlowitz, Esq.; Theo. Sampson, suggest that marine risks should be accept. Esq.; B. Davis, Esq.; F. Wong, M.D.; Owing to the low tone in which Mr Rev. J. C. Nevin, Rev. E. Eitel, Rev. C. Bosman spoke the above was what appeared | F. Preston, Rev. J. Anderson, Rev. A. Folto be his meaning. I e did not, however, som, Rev. R. H. Graves, M.D., and J. G.

1869, it would be desirable to take some | and of a Special Meeting held on Friday, expiring after that date, as although such The Reports of the Hospital in Canton was not the practice with Marine Insurance; and of the dispensaries at Shin-hing, Wu-Companies, he considered that it would be | chan, and at Pok lo, were presented to the well for this Company either to effect re- Meeting and an abstract of them read, as

> Out-patients have been received at the new hospital on Mondays and Fridays, and at Kam-li-fan on Tuesdays and Saturdays. Wednesdays have been devoted to important operations and Thursdays to vaccinations. The dispensaries at Shiu-hing, Wuchau (in Kwong-si), Pok-lo, Shik-lung, and Tai-ping, have been continued. The following table shows the aggregate attendance at the above-named places :-

PON-TSAI HOSPITAL. Males Fe'les Total Out-patients. In-natients, Surgical Operation Vaccination, ..... KAM-LI-FAN. Surgical Operation, ... Out-patients at Wu-chau Out-patients at Pok-lo, ... Shik-lung & 1: Do returns

but that afforded by the native assistants. | more than by myself, 155,39 . Dr Kerr then presented for the inspection to perform so many capital operations in so who might yet corroborate it. short a period of time, and many who have less opportunity of exhibiting their skill \$179,784.29 | rank among the first surgeons of the age.

The CHAIRMAN remarked that he was fully sensible of the important services rendered to the hospital by Dr. Wong during Dr. Kerr's absence, and that he \$7,483.19 appreciated the great influence of these Officer, Licutenant Baker, R.N., and \$591.78 | benevolent labors in the advancement of lof the Chief Officer, Second Officer, will in future times be fully recognized.

English and Chinese for circulation.

dispensaries under their care.

pose of acting on the Treasurer's report; course, than he unhappily adopted, making appropriations for the current expenses of the year, and of receiving the

The motion was passed and the Chair-Nye and Mr Davis on the committee. \$174,210.43 The meeting then proceeded to the election of officers, where the following were

chosen for the ensuing year. \$ 3,113:73 President-S. R. Colledge, M.D., F. R. Captain Alexander, S.S. Bosphorus, S. Ed. (in England). Vice Presidents-S. 12,529.88 Wells Williams, L. L. D.; D. B. Robertson, ship L'Ai le, which was lost in 1850 near 81,000,00 Esq., C.B., H.B.M. Consul; E. M. King, | Cape St. Francis. The captain at the time 70,000.00 Esq. U.S. Consul; R. Von Carlowitz, Esq., the vessel struck believed himself to be 38 H. P. M. Consul: Ven Archdeacon Gray, miles from land. The Queen of the West, 5,014.96 M.A., Hon. Wm. Keswick, Esq., Hon. | a large English ship of 1,000 tons, was lost 2,551.86 John Dent, Esq.; Geo. F. Heard, Esq.; on the same night and at the same spot Happer, D.D (in U. S.)

-J. G. Kerr, M.D. Traisurers-Mesers Russell & Co. Anditor -The Commissioner of Customs,

On motion of Mr Carlowits, a vote of thanks was passed to the Chairman, after had he reached his cabin when, to his horror were abusing their influence in his country, which the meeting was dissolved. D. B. ROBERTSON, Chairman. J. G. KERR, Secretary;

THE Government tug Prompt, recently despatched from England to assist in the Indian troops at Suez, was conveyed through The Austrian squadron in the Levant has having been lightened as much as possible. her, and in this manner she reached Sues.

THE LOSS OF THE BOSPHORUS. In our last we mentioned the wreck of the steam transport Bosphorus off the Cape, on Oct. 21, and the loss of 49 of her crew. We have commented upon the disaster elsewhere :--

The follwing is the captain's version of

Cupt. J. A. Alexander's Statement. I left Liverpool, after having personally seen that the charts on board corresponded with those ordered by the admiralty, and arrived off Simon's Bay on the evening of the 18th, anchored there at 8.30 a.m., 19th, and left again at 1.20 p.m. for this port, passing L'Agulhas about midnight, about At noon of 20th, I found my position to

be by observation 35 2 45' S. latitude, 22 2

by standard compass, for about 42 miles.

standard compass was 16° W. I then

steered E, by N. 1 N., which was continued

E. longitude. I then steered E.N.E.,

till midnight, about 75 mile. At 10.30 p.m., left deck in charge of chief officer, with instructions to steer from midnight E. by N., and to call me in case anything hove in sight before day-break. These courses. gave, making due allowance for the current as marked on Admiralty Chart, No. 596, now banded in, and referred to in S. A. Pilot of 1865. About 1 a m., "Land on port bow" was reported by second officer. I immediately went on deck and ordered the engines to be stopped and reversed full speed, the belin being already hard-a-port. Before these orders could be Total, Out-patients, 35,750; In-patients, engulphed, -those saved reaching shore on dangerous to enter. "The half of the one 472; Operations, 980; Vaccinations, 600. portions of wreck. At the time the vessel I am living in," says the Telegraph's corres-The expenses of the hospitals in Canton struck I considered she was about twenty- pondent, "was blown away; the other part for wages, rent, medicines, &c., have been five to thirty miles from shore, and can I was obliged to have propped up with posts \$1,326.04. This includes medicines sup- only attribute her wreck to the currents, before I could venture into it with my faplied to the dispensaries at Pok-lo, Shik- having obtained good observation for com- mily. The water pours down through the a respectable man; to which defendant re- unwise to make a division of profits at pre- lung and Tai-ping. The receipts have been pass the day previous, and being quite con- roof from every shower of rain. Houseless, plied that he did not know. The Magie- sent, and they therefore recommend that \$1,810.48, leaving a balance of \$484.44 to fident of my position at noon of 20th, and half-clad, hungry families are yet wandering the credit of the present year's account. | course steered since. I have been in com- about, trying to erect huts or find some In presenting these reports, Dr Kerr mand for sixteen years, twelve of them kind of shelter for themselves, and, to add remarked that during nine months of the under my late owners, nine of which in to their wretched condition, the cold north year Dr F. Wong had charge of the hospi- steam; and three in sailing, vessels; to winds of the winter months set in yesterday tal in his absence, and he wished to avail India. My certificate and all other papers with squalls. But for the ready assistance himself of this opportunity to express his are lost with vessel. With the above state- that we received from St. Thomas, Antigua, To Nett Premium collected, to 31st Dec., gratification at the prosperity of the insti- ments I would respectfully hand in a letter, and Captain Vesey, R.N., of her Majesty's tution while nuder his care, and his high received from Mr Chabaud, bearing on the ship Doris, the horrors of total starvation \$96,704.16 appreciation of the Doctor's skill in the strong local currents, and leave the case in | would have carried off very many of our

> J. A. ALEXANDER. of the Members of the Society 18 specimens P.S.—I would wish to state that the the 28th of October I was living in comfort 1,080.33 of urinary calculi, removed by Dr W. average calculation of ship's speed would be during the short period he was in charge of somewhat reduced by letting steam down 1,703.56 the hospital. It has fallen to the lot of to clean fires every four hours—a fact I very few surgeons in any part of the world, omitted to elicit in evidence from officers,

J. A. ALEXANDER,

JUDGMENT OF COURT OF INQUIRY.

Resident Magistrate's Office, Port Elizabeth, 4th November, 1867. The Commission, having very carefully considered the evidence of the Transport civilization and Christianity. He would Helmsman, and look-out men, and read \$1,026.75 repeat, what he had said on former occa- statement of John Alexander, late master sions, that he believed Missionaries, and of the hired transport Bosphorus, is of opiespecially Medical Missionaries, to be the | nion that the loss of the vessel by shipwreck, great Arm of Civilization, and although at I o'clock on the morning of the 21st Oc-\$1,997.00 this fact may not be acknowledged now, it tober, near Zitzikama Point; is attributable to the strong current which generally runs On motion of Mr Nyo, seconded by Mr to the westward, after fresh westerly gales, Sampson, the reports were accepted, and as well as to the existence of a north- piscopari." That a comfortable English the usual number ordered to be printed in easterly current, which sets directly on to moundent should have small taste for being the shore from Formosa Point to Cape Re-On motion of Mr Sampson, seconded by ceiffe, between the L'Agulhas current and Mr Nye, it was resolved that the meeting the coast, especially during and after the express its high appreciation of the services same gale which set the ship North 20 E. of Dr. Wong, and of the faithfulness of the magnetic, twenty miles in thirteen hours, native assistanta during Dr. Kerr's absence. and which was nuknown to said master, On motion of Mr Nye, seconded by Mr and which is not marked upon Admiralty Preston, a vote of thanks was passed to chart No. 596, with which he was supplied, Rev. Dr. Graves, Rev. Mr Krolezyk and nor mentioned, save too viguely to attract That Dr Selwyn, however, did really prefer Rev. Mr Faber, for their services in the serious notice, in the South African Pilot, and not to the wrongful act or default of to the pleasant pustures of a midland bishos The report of the Treasurers was then the said Master, in whose late ship it is in pric, worth £5,000 a year, besides a palace presented, from which it appeared that evidence that every precaution was taken there was a small balance against the for the safe navigation of her that his Aud it is also a matter for congratulation. Society. As the account had not been knowledge and the means at his disposal There is a good deal to be said against the andited, it was moved by Mr Preston and permitted. The Court very much regrots i appointment of men of the modern active seconded by Mr Graves, that whereas, on that the Bosphorus was supplied with the type to an English bishopric, for they account of the absence of the Auditor, the old chart of Southern Africa, No. 596, in-Treasurers' account had not been audited, stead of the new one published by Admiralty | t sans of one theological school. But for and as it is known that there is a deficit in in March, 1867. No. 2095, on which the once we have here the right man in the the funds, therefore be it resolved that a L'Agulhas and the inshere currents are right place. The "black country" is one committee be appointed by the Chairman | conspicuously laid down, and which would \$179,78# 29 to raise funds, with power to call a meeting doubtless have suggested to the Master of I to; and if Bishop Selwyn succeeds in efof the Society at an early day, for the pur- the Busphorus a more easterly, and a safer feeting the mere commencement of a moral

(Signed) JOHN CAMPBELL, R. M. The following important letter on the subject of the currents, from G.H. Cha-93,210.43 man appointed Dr. Kerr, Mr Sampson, Mr band, Esq., Vice-Consul for France, will be interesting to mariners :-

Vice-Consulate of France.

Port Elizabeth, Oct. 30, 1867 Messrs W. Anderson & Co., Agents for SIR. - I have the protest of the French

stances, in the the same locality. After the special instructions relating to the Viceroy's loss, and fearing that other disasters might appeal take place, I reported, through my superior the new Suez Canal to the Red Sea. After in office, to the French Government, that it was necessary, owing to the frequent losses, even to the removal of the paddle-wheels, that notice should be given forthwith to masters of vessels passing this coast, that as the current sets in so rapidly on the shore.

it would be necessary for them to exercise more than ordinary caution and prudence when off Cape St. Francis.

I have, in corroboration of above, to mention, the loss of U.M.S. Osprey, and the Runnymede, which latter vessel was abaudoned 70 miles off, and was drifted by the current to a spot between the Osprey and and where your vessel struck. I have the honor to be, Sir, Your

obedient servant, GUSTAVE HENEI CHABAUD Vice Consul of France.

P.S .- I also enclose extract from 7th edition of French Horsburgh.

Extract from French Horsburgh, 7th Edition. Cape St. Francis is situated in 34 2 10' latitude 24 3 30' E. (Paris meridian). That part of the coast is very rocky; the current, which is very strong, carries directly to the shore, with the winds from 4.30, found by azimuth-variation of & N. W. When the weather is cloudy or dark, a vessel ought not to approach land nearer than twenty miles, otherwise she would run the risk of being thrown on the coast by the force of the currents. It is imprudent to keep oneself within ten to

> The wreck of the Bosphorus was sold at Port Elizabeth for £37 10s.

MISCELLANEOUS

WE are beginning now to learn something

trustworthy about the calamity that has befallen the island of Tortola. An official, obeyed, the vessel struck heavily. Every resident on the island, and therefore the exertion possible was made by all on board | best possible authority on the subject, writes to get the vessel off, without success. The to the Daily Telegraph, and supplies a numheavy sea soon rendered all our boats but ber of details of this most lamentable, and one useless, which was at daylight despatch- at the same time singular, visitation. He ed with line to effect communication with informs us that nine-tenths of the buildings, the shore, distant about half a mile, the the entire cultivation, and nearly every intervening space being nothing but jagged vessel in the port were destroyed by the rocks, nearly hid at high water. Before hurricane. The island was famous as a the boat had got fifty yards she was cap- sugar-growing district, and this branch of sized and stove, the crew reaching the shore its industry was thriving and extensive. with difficulty. Soon after daylight the There is now only one set of sugar works main-mast fell over the side, and the vessel left standing in the island. The greater finally broke up, the remaining crew being number of the few remaining houses are performance of numerous difficult and your hands, assuring the Court that the population before this. That supply will dangerous operations, with no assistance unfortunate disaster is not felt by any one soon be done. Without further assistance the pangs of hunger will be felt in many families who have not as yet felt it. On and ease, visited my two estates, and viewed with pride and pleasure the most promising sugar crops that I had seen for many years. The morning of the 30th dawned on the ruin of all I possessed-my hopes and prospects entirely destroyed, the sugar works, negto huts, all blown away; the greater part of the canes were rooted out of the earth; my dwelling-house at Road Town mortar, piled up on all my household goods. I am now houseless, and can say penniless, with a family to provide for, and at present uo prespect before me. My case is but one among hundreds in this small town. Twenty-one persons were killed during the storm and many seriously injured, some of whom have died since, and many still remain

Among the novelties of the day surely the most striking is a case bong fide." Nolo. converted into a bishop, of whom it will be generally said that he is "only a colonial." is easy to understand. But that Lichfield and Coventry should be actually declined by even one beneficed ecclesiastic is truly. surprising. No doubt, when a bishopric is vacant many vague speculations and halftrue reports agitate goolesiastic coterier. a return to his hard work in New Zealand and a seat in the Lords, is an admitted fact. usually develop into mere authoritative parof the frightfully abnormal spots in English and spiritual reform in that gloomy region, he will deserve the thanks of every sensible Englishman, whatever his politics or his creed .- Pall Mall Gazette.

A comious story is now circulating amongst diplomatists in Paris. A young. Circassian slave, it is said, escaped the other day from the barem of Latif Pashe at Alexandria, and, in her eagerness to find a refuce, went to the residence of the Prussian vice-consul, mistaking him for the consul of Russia. The vice-consul then declared that the slave had, in accordance with the treaties on this subject, become free the moment she entered the office of the consulate; and his statement being supported by the consul-general, the usual emancipation papers were issued to the slave by the direc-Wm. H. Forbes, Esq.; E. A. Hitchcock, In 1857, another French ship, L'Angusée, a tor of police. However, she was arrested \$174,210.43 Esq.; Hon. F. Parry, Esq.; G. Nya, Jr., new vessel, on her first voyage, was lost by Latif Pasha for theft. The Prussian Esq.; and Julius Mencke, Esq., Sir John in the same locality; in the latter case, I, consul protested against the arrest, and a Bowring, L.L.D.; W. Kane, Esq., M.D. in my capacity as Vice-Consul, enquired very animated correspondence took place (in England); D. N. Spooner, James Pur into the circumstances of the loss, and, between him and the Egyptian authorities, don, C. T. Smith, Esqs., and Rev. A. P. after a careful examination of the survivors, in which the British consul also took part, ascertained that it was entirely owing to siding with his Prussian colleague. Upon Corresponding and Recording Secretary. the fact of the current setting rapidly on to this the Viceroy stepped in, and requested the shore that the loss of the ship was | the Russian consul-general to act as arbiter. occasioned. The captain, after having been, in the question. This was opposed in such nearly the whole night upon deck, had just strong language by the British cousul that gone down to take a little rest, believing (so goes the story) the Viceroy complained himself about 40 miles off shore. Harily to the French Government that the English and autonishment, the ship struck; the and asking for the protection of France. It weather had been very bad and hazy, no is also said that M. Outrey, the French conland was therefore to be seen. In 1858 the sul general at Alexandria, who is now in Lady Head was lost under similar circum- Paris, will shortly return to his post with

> THE New York Natural History Society has aggrieved Barnum by deciding that his gorilla is a baboon.

> THE wrecks reported this week (Dec. 10) home and foreign, number up to 1,032,

The departure of the Messageries Impariales Steamer "DONNAI" having been postpoued in consequence of non-arrival of the French Mail from Shanghai, - Notice of the time of the closing the Mails to be forwarded by her will be given hereafter. Parties are advised to post their Correspondence as early as possible as the no-

tice may probably be short. The Steamer "UNITED SERVICE"

MAILS WILL CLOSE :-For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.-Per "YESSO," on Wednesday next, the Rua da Feitoria at Macao. 29th instant, at 7.30 A.M.

MAILS BY THE "BENARES." The Contract Packet "BENARES," will be pispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on SATURDAY, the 1st February, and the Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registration, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 11 A.M. of that day

After 11 A.M. all Letters, &c., will be chargeable, in addition to the usua each Letter and two cents for each Newspaper, Book or Packet of Patterns. The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 1 P.M., and for Newspapers, Books or Patterns, Noon on the 1st February.

Murseilles or to Singapore, may be at those Ports. posted on board the Packet from 1.30 to 1.50 P.M. on payment of a late fee of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can be

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the window set apart for the purpose, on the East Side of the building All correspondence for places to which pre

payment is compulsory inust be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps. Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to the United Kingdom-will be sent on charged with a tine of One Shilling in

ddition to the postage. Letters posted after 11 A.M. will not be for warded unless the Late Fee as well as the postage is prepaid.

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All transactions in fractional parts of a Dol lar will be conducted in the Coins pre scribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 22nd January 1864, and no other Coins, but those therein apecitied will either be received or given in change as fractional parts Payment for Postage Stamps must be made

in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes. F. W. MITCHELL Postmuster General.

General Post-Office, Hougkong, January 16, 1868.

### Intimations.

FINE Undersigned is ready to receive Tenders for the CONVEYANCE of the undermentioned Stores to Yokohama:-150 Hogsheads. LIME JUICE, 50 boxes. ALF. H. PRICE,

Naval & Victorilling Storckeeper. H. M. Naval Yard, Hongkong, December 18, 1867 VIEW OF HONGKONG.

R. BAPTISTA begs to inform the Re-Wis sidents of Hongkong that he will be prepared to receive orders for COLOURING the Lathographic View of Hongkong issued with the Overland China Mail of 15th Novat the following rates :-Full Coloured.....\$5.

Washed in, .....\$3. Shaded in Pencil, ........\$1.50 A Specimen of the Full Coloured Lithograph can be seen at this Office. Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

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NOTICE. THE OFFICES of Messrs Augustine HEARD & Co. have this day been removed to their old Premises adjoining the Cathedral Hongkong, December 28, 1867.

NOTICE. THE Ship-chandlery BUSINESS of the Undersigned has been temporarily removed to Scott's Lane, No. 33. FREERKS, RODATZ & Co. Hongkong, December 9, 1867.

NOTICE. HE Office of the Undersigned is removed to the Premises formerly occupied by Mesers Smith Kennedy & Co., Queen

Road. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, November 30, 1867.

REMOVAL HE Undersigned hav othis day Removed their STORE from Praya East to the PREMISES No. 13, Queen's Road Central, formerly occupied by the CENTRAL

BANK OF WESTERN INDIA. MAJEWEN & Co. Hongkong, 6th December, 1867.

THE OFFICE of the Undersigned is REMOVED to GAGE STREET, Corner ofL yndhurst Terrace, REYNVAAN BROTHLES & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

#### Intimations.

OFFICIAL NUTIFICATION. BRITISH CONSULATE, CANTON, June 6th. 1867.

that in consequence of the decease of MR. E. L. Lanca, lately British Consular Agent at Macao, the functions of the British Consular Agency at that Port will be not having arrived from Canton, the temporarily discharged by MR. Plo MAR-Mail to be forwarded to Shanghai by QUES, subject to and pending the sanction her will not be closed until further of Her Britannie Majesty's Minister at Peking, and of H. M. Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

The Office of the British Consular Agency is for the present established at No. 23 D. B. ROBERTSON,

Houzkong, June 8, 1867.

NOTICE. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

CANTON. MR N. J. EDE having resigned the Acting Secretaryship of the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Mr. C. D. WILLIAMS is this day appointed Secretary, and is authorized to sign Policies of Insurance on behalf of the Society. The offices of the compostage, with a late fee of 18 cents for pany are now those lately occupied by Messrs Lyall, Still & Co.

(Signed) W. KESWICK, Chairman of the Committee Hongkong, July 4, 1867.

AMESSES GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Further late letters (but Letters only) ad- III of Shanghai, Foochow and Hankow dressed to the United Kingdom via have been appointed Agents for the Society (Signed) W. KESWICK.

> Chairman of the Committee. Hougkong, July 4, 1867. Published weekly,—Subscription (Exclu

sive of postage) Tls. 12 per annum; payable SUPREME COURT

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LLINGWORTH & Co., having established themselves at West Point, next below the Honokong and China Cas Co., are prepared to do all kinds of ENGINE AND BOILER WORK;

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Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT. L. MATHERS begs to express his THANKS to the Subscribers to the Fund lately collected for the purpose of defraying the Expenses of his defence against the recent unjust charge of manslaughter upon which he was honourably acquitted by a jury at the last Sessions. Hongkong, January 14, 1868.

Mr William Gaskell, ATTORNEY, SOLIOITOB, PROCTOR AND NOTABY PUBLIC. REMOVED to No. 2, OLUB CHAMBERS D' Aguilar Street. Opposite Mesers Douglas LAPRAIR & Co. Hongkong, August 28, 1866.

FRENCHI HE Advertiser, a PARISIAN, is desirous of giving some French Lessons on moderate terms. Address X. X, care of Office of this Paper. Hongkong, September 25, 1667.

TO HOUSE-KEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS. TOHN PATERSON & Co., House and Ship Plumbers, Copper and Zinc Workers, and Gas Fitters, 16, Queen's Road West, and Acheong's Yard, Praya West, Hongkong, November 4, 1867.

### Intimations.

BOWRA & Co., AUCTIONEERS, SHIP CHANDLERS, SAIL-MARERS, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS AND GENERAL CUMMISSION AGENTS. QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

HE Undersigned hereby gives notice | Water Boats in constant readiness to supply Ships with Pure Fresh Water. Sails made and repaired on the Premises.

THE Members of the late Hongkong Vo lunteer Corps are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to recain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed. H. COHEN.

Hongkong, March 13, 1867. SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT.

Trustees. The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., Hon. JOHN DENT, | G. THOMSETT, Eaq. R. N. Eng. WARREN DELANO,

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JONATIONS of Books, Periodicals, Newspapers, Clothes, &c., will be most Captain A. Overbury, assumes the duties of Superintendent from this date, to whom or to the committee any information required in connection with the "Home"

should be applied for. Hougkong, September 21, 1866.

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A T the request of the Undersigned, A Messra GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. have taken temporary charge of the following Insurance Companies :-Phoenix Assurance-Company. Liverpool and London and Globe Insur-

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SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,

Hongkong, July 2, 1867.

HE Undersigned beg to inform Masters of vessels bound to this port, that they have always a large Stock of CAN-VAS, EUROPEAN ROPE, TWINE, and other Shipchandlers' Stores, as well as Salt Provisions continually on hand, which they are able to dispose of, at as reasonable rates as they can be purchased at in any of the China Ports.

KARUTH HENISZEN & Co. Manila, June 22, 1866.

NoTICE. T is hereby notified that the portion of Robinson Road which lies between Castle Road and Bonham Road is CLOSED to the Public from this date during certain Alterations and Repairs. By order,

W. WILSON, Surveyor General. Surveyor General's Office, Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

### intimations.

THE UNION DUCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the Fourth CALL of Two Hundred Dollars is made in two Instalments of One Hundred Dollars each per Share. First of which will fall due on the 15th of March, and the second on the 30th of April next, and will be payable at the Office of Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Queen's Road, Hongkong, where Receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Manager. Interest at the rate of twelve per centun

per annum will be charged after the above By order of the Board of Directors, J. B. ENDICOTT.

Hongkong, January 24, 1868. THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED

Secretary.

Cecritary.

L'ENDERS are invited for the BUILD. ING of a Granite DOCK on the Grounds of the Company at Kowloon, o the following dimensions, viz:-150 feet Long.

12 , Deep. 30 , Wide on Bottom. For particulars, apply to J. B. ENDICOTT,

Hongkong, December 13, 1867. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

ATOTICE is hereby given that the REGIS-TERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 15th day of February next (both days includduring which period no transfer of Shares can be registered. VICTOR KRESSER

Chief Manager. Hougkong, January 21, 1868. HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKIN(

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. OTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of Share holders in this Corporation will be held at the HEAD OFFICE of the Bank, Wardley House, Queen's Road, Hongkong, on FR. DAY, the 14th day of Feb. proximo, at three o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1867.

CORPORATION.

By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER. Hongkong, January 21, 1868.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to Furnish the Undersigned with a list of Premia contributed by them up to the 31st t ctober last, to afford the distribution of the 25 % Profit reserved for the Contributors to the Company AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY MOTICE is hereby given that an Agenc N of this Company has been opened in

Macao, under the care of Messrs Margesson & Co., and that Captain : Carroll has been appointed Surveyor for the Company at By order of the Court of Directors

JOHN S. MACKINTOSH, Shanghai, September 28, 1867. HONGKONG & CHINA GAS CO.,

LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given that the Dividence at the rate of 5 per cents declared in accordance with a resolution passed at the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders reld at the Head Office, London, on the 5th September last, will be payable at the office of the Company, West Point, ou and after the 30th November instant. A. NEWTON.

Hongkong, November 26, 1867.

"STAG HOTEL." SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD

DERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Su perior Hotel Accommodation will find it at the above Establishment. LDMUND R. HOLMES, Hongkong, July 22, 1867.

ORIENTAL BOWLING ALLEYS.

IN HO would attend a GYMNASIUM VV when half-an-hour at the above exercise is sufficient for the day's constitutional, combining the necessary exertion of manual labour with the interest attached to a Game of skill.

A Soda FOUNTAIN with the latest Cordial Drinks (for testotallers) continually in play. While the Undersigned will be guarantee for the quality of the stronger drinks supplied, having brought out a choice assortment of WINES and SPIRITS from EDWARD PARKER

Hongkong, May 20, 1867.

LEX BOYER having engaged th Services of Mdlle. MARIE, lately with Messra H. MARSH & Co. is prepared to execute any orders for DRESS MAKING. MILLINERY, &c. Hongkong, October 14, 1867. WM. DOLAN,

SAIL MAKER, &c. Duddell Street, (Opposite French Consulate.) Hongkong, April 2, 1866, HE Undersigned has leisure daily for a

few hours to TEACH OHILDREN. Ladies and Gentlemen, of Hongkong to play on the Piano Forte. GEORGE PREESENT. Care of Mr VOLKMANN, Hollywood Road. Hongkong, October 12, 1867.

NOTICE. THE Steamers "PRINCE ALBERT" and "SIR JAMSETJEE JEEJEE BHOY" are withdrawn from the Canton River as Night Boats until further notice. Hongkopg, November 15, 1867,

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EX MAIL STEAMER. YON SAUSAGES in best condition. L CHEESE and HAMS. Assorted French CONFECTIONARY Malaga Ra ISINS in bottles and tins. ALMONDS in shells. Peeled ALMONDS in tins. Eleme FIGS in tins. PRUNES in bottle.

Smoked Pomeranian GOOSEBRE STS LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

FOR SALE Just Arrived. .) BROADWOOD'S Grand PIANOS, may be had at Wholesale Price. Address "A.," Office of this paper. Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

LI ENDRIE, Plesse & Lubin's Fine Asa sortment of PERFUMES. DAWSON & SONS' BOUTS.

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FOR SALE.

Ex late Arrivals. DRIME California CHEESE. Gruyere California BUTTER. 100 barrels Prime Hamburg Mess PORK Prime Westphalia HAMS, at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

FOR SALE. SMALL Lot of Superior Old POR WINE, Th. Cy. Saudeman, Oporto. Fine Dry. MADEIRA. Fine CHAMPAGNE, OOGNAC. Various Superior Hungarian WINES WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 6, 1867.

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Hougkong, December 1, 1867. TATHAM'S BRANDY in I doz, cases. SHERRY ,, 3 RIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, April 9, 1867. FOR SALE. WELLOW METAL and NAILS, 18 Superior CLARET, Sr. PIERRE, 1852. Superior CHAMPAGNE, H. PIPER & Co., carte blanche. SPIRITS OF WINE, in Boxes of 1 dor

Hongkong, October 1, 1866. A. MILLAR, PLUMBER, COPPERSMITH AND DRASS FOUNDER.

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Shifting' Box and Plain Plug Flange Steam Whistles, Assorted sizes and pat-Engine Room Gougs and

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MULLER & CLAUSSEN. Hongkong, January 13, 1868. FOR SALE (/ ELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Muntz and Vivians.

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J. FRISBY.

FOR SALE. THE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's Road, lately occupied by Messrs SMITH KENNEDY & Co. For further particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

Hongkong, April 5, 1866.

Hongkong, September 2, 1867. Steamer Succonada, a few SHEEP ready dressed and for Sale in quarter.

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33, Praya. Hongkong, December 31, 1867. FOR SALE. FINE Copenhague BU TER, in tine of 28 lbs. nett, and by the pound. Prime Californian CHEESE, ANCHO-

Hongkeig, December 24, 1867,

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Hongkong, November 20, 1867.

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A quantity of Iron COLUMNS, Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. with NAILS. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, December 11, 1867.

FOR SALE. Ex THE TWEED, ALBERT VICTOR and Late Arrivals DUBBER and Canvas Leading HOSE,

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